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SIX DEATHS AT DANVILLE.

Five Men and an Infant Killed by an Explosion at the Montour Iron Works.

MANY OTHERS BADLY HURT.

Accident Probably Due to Low Water in the Boiler.-Mother and Child Struck by a Mass of Iron.

The boiler explosion last Thursday night at the Montour Iron Works was more disastrous and fatal in its results than at first supposed. Five men and an infant were killed and eighteen men, a boy and a woman were injured. Of the injured several are likely to die. The full list of fatalities follows :

Dead : John Castleman, instantly killed ; Mary Bryon, infant of Mrs. Margaret Bryon, instantly killed ; Oliver and Thomas Cromwell ; John F. Mullen, sr. ; Johnson Lovett, died of his injuries.

Injured : Mrs. Margaret Bryon, Robert Reed, day foreman ; Thomas Evans ; Rush Yerrick ; Moses Layman, aged twelve years ; Charles Reineer Bankberry ; William Fenix, colored ; Thomas Miller, Gus Brandt, William Wool, Daniel Marks, Joseph Connelly ; Harry Mayer ; Howard Demott ; Richard S. Hifs ; George Singer ; Thomas Williams ; Joseph Gerringer; William Gerringer, Patrick McGey.

Besides being cut and bruised by flying bricks, all the injured and dead, with the exception of Mrs. Bryon and her child, were horribly scalded by the escaping steam. In one instance one of the victims had both hands literally parboiled off at the wrists. Surrounding the works are a number of small dwellings occupied by employees of the company. It was in one of these that the Bryon family lived.

Mrs. Bryon was in a second-story room nursing her baby and at her feet sat two of her other children. Half the boiler was hurled through the house by the force of the explosion. The mass of iron struck Mrs. Bryon and the babe at her breast, cushing in the infant's head, and then fell through into the cellar, carrying down the woman and her children in the wreck. The two children on the floor escaped with slight injuries, but Mrs. Bryon will die.

This is the second time that an exploding boiler in the same mill has been thrown through the Bryon house. The exact cause of the explosion has not yet been determined, but it is thought that it was due to low water in the boiler. The fires had just been withdrawn from the furnace to allow some repairs being made.

The mill walls were fairly riddled by flying bricks and the property damaged to the extent of about $5,500. Thursday's boiler explosion is the third of its kind which have taken place at the mill. The first occurred in 1857, when several men were killed and injured.

DEATH OF J. M. SUMMY.

We received the sad intelligence on Monday, of the death of J. M. Summy, who died at his home at Manheim, Lancaster Co. Pa., after a short illness, aged thirty-nine years. He had been in good health, until about a week ago, when he went out hunting, he took a heavy cold, from which he could not rid himself, and death was the result. He is survived by a wife, daughter of N. B. Fowler, of this town. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, at one o'clock. The deceased was a brother to Mrs. Jac Keller of this town and he formerly resided here, clerking in Mr. Keller's store.

Normal 26 Pittston 0.

The Normal foot ball team scored its second consecutive victory, at Normal field, on Saturday afternoon, defeating Pittston Y. M. C. A. team by the score of 26 to 0. Several players from Wyoming Seminary were with Pittston. The Normals played a swift, hard game, and went through Pittston's line where and whenever they pleased.

Fast driving in town, or within the limits of the borough, should be stopped. The practice is becoming too general, and drivers all over town, especially on Main street, are dashing over the crossings with such reckless speed that it is almost impossible for a person to get out of the way. There is an ordinance against this, and it should be enforced.

There are over seventy entries for the bicycle races at the fair this week.

Council Proceedings.

MAY WIDEN IRON STREET.

The President Authorized to sell the old Street Lamps.—Three Permits Granted.—Pavements Required to be put down on First and Third Streets.—Presentation of Bills.—Tax Collector's Bond Accepted and Filed.—Change of Location for Winona Hose Carriage. — Proposition to Widen North Iron Street.

When President of Council Holmes rapped for order Thursday night, the following members answered to their names : Thos. Gorrey, E. A. Rawlings and W. R. Kocher. F. J. Richard came in later.

Inquiries having been made as to whether the old street lamps and posts were for sale, the President was authorized to sell the same at such price as he thinks fair. Complaint was made that the arc light on Light Street road is too low, that if it is hung higher on the poles it will give better service. Referred to the Light Committee. Also the matter of a number of the street lights not burning properly, on other streets.

Complaint was made about the outhouse on C. W. Miller's property, occupied by Frank Geiger on Fifth St.

The Finance Committee made a report recommending the payment of the bill of J. R. Schuyler for damages to his stock by reason of the water flooding his cellar. Report accepted and bill to be paid.

Permits were granted to J. L. Wolverton for the erection of a frame house corner West and Fourth streets.

To Frank Cavanee for a barn on his lot near Catharine street.

To E. C. Caswell & Co. for third story on their woolen mill.

A petition was presented asking that pavements be required to be put down at a uniform width of five feet on First street above Iron. On motion the property owners on said street are ordered to put down their pavements in accordance with the petition.

It is also ordered that the property owners on East Third street be notified to lay their pavements within 30 days, or the Town will do the work and add the usual percentage.

Complaint was made as to the bad condition of the walks along the property of J. S. Grimes and others on East First street.

A petition was presented asking for grade on West First street, or that portion extending through the Ralston addition, and that the gutters be cobbled and property owners be required to put down pavements. Referred to the Street Committee.

Bills were presented and the Secretary directed to issue orders for the several amounts as follows :

C. P. Armstrong, for stone...$	5.00
Clearfield Paving Co., 5,000. pressed brick.....	46.00
D. L. & W. RR. Co., freight on crossing stone.....	8.64
Demo. Sentinel, publishing Ordinances and Printing Bonds.....	42.00
J. R. Schuyler, for damages.	21.55
Jesse Wilson, three days putting window glass in Town Hall.....	6.00
Electric Light Co., for St. lights.....	1200.00
Moyer Bros., for cement, putty and window glass...	44 73
Water Co., water at Town Hall.....	1.99
Bloom Car Mfg. Co., oak plank.....	9.32
Water Co., for 57 fire hydrants	89.17
Central Sewer Pipe Co., for pipe.....	65.11
Silver Springs Quarry Co., spalls.....	13.72
Chief W. Knorr.....	40.00
Constable, C. Culp.....	40.00
Secretary Ringler.....	20.00
Policeman Baum, special duty	5.05
" A. Shultz " "	19.37
" P. Jones " "	.62
" G. Ferguson " "	.62
" Chas. Thomas" "	1.62
" F. Drake " "	1.87
" B Hagenbuch " "	1.62
J. L. Wolverton, for damages to his Fourth Street property	350.00

W. P. Meigs, together with three or four members of the Winona Fire Co., appeared and asked permission to remove the hose carrage from the Town Hall to the barn on property occupied by H. G. Sherwood on Fourth street, saying that the location is better and the carriage would be handier in case of fire in that vicinity or at the factories; that the barn can be rented for one dollar per month which sum the company is willing to pay themselves.

Considerable time was taken up in discussing the importance of efficient fire apparatus and attentive firemen, and the Council are of the opinion that the Town should pay the rent for the Winona Co., in case new quarters are secured. The matter was referred to the committee on Fire and Water with power to act.

Col. Freeze appeared in behalf of the Rosemont Cemetery Co., and made a verbal proposition that the said company would give or donate to the town sufficient land on West side of North Iron street, from the culvert or run up to Michael Casey's property, to widen said street a reasonable and proper width and make it better for the traveling public, if in return the Town will make the road and sidewalk and keep them in repair. He also suggested that perhaps Mr. Casey might be willing to make some arrangements whereby the lower corner of his lot might be thrown out. The matter was referred to the Street Committee.

Wm. H. Gilmore, in behalf of the Friendship Fire Company, stated that the hose truck in use by that Company is worn out and not fit for use, and therefore asks Council to procure a new one. Referred to Committee on Fire.

The sewer petitioned for on Fourth and Fifth streets was spoken of, but the committee who has charge of the matter was not ready to act at this meeting.

A petition was presented asking for the extension of Scott alley, near Fair Ground, through W. L. Demaree's lumber yard to Fifth street. Mr. Demaree is willing to vacate if the Town gives him $500 for the ground, about 30x60 feet, and pays the expense of moving his sheds. Referred to Street Committee.

J. K. Bittenbender presented his bond as tax collector for 1896, which was accepted.

No further business appearing Council adjourned.

Fire broke out at the residence of Mrs. Phillip Crawford on West Third Street., Saturday morning. The fire was caught from the flue, but was discovered before it had gained any headway, and by the aid of neighbors and the garden hose, was soon extinguished.

By the X rays, Pittsburg Physicians discovered a needle in a woman's elbow which had worked up from the hand.

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Suits, Overcoats, Single Trousers, Single Vests, Storm Ulsters, Mackintosh Coats, Stiff and Soft Hats, Underwear of every description, Gloves of every description, Umbrellas, Canes, Neckwear, Shirts, white and colored, Trunks, Valises, Bicycle Suits, Bicycle Hats, Bicycle Hose, Sweaters, Belts, &c. The largest store of its kind in the valley.

REST ? NO !

The only period of quiet is between weeks. The machinery of this clothing store is not allowed to rust by idleness. For the past weeks we have been busy unpacking and selling new fall goods at prices that make the "dregs" of the other fellow's stuff seem valueless. Makes life and activity here. The power to do it, with the wisdom of how to do it, makes sales larger week after week.

Our whole organization is at present directed toward selling our Special Fair Week values in suits and overcoats for men and boys. Its equal in point of cheapness has never been known in this city. The values now offered here we are quite safe in saying will never be matched, even by us again. The bottom has simply dropped out of prices. Of course we do not sell shoddy stuff, so price comparisons with others would be useless. Let your own eyes be judge.

Extra salesmen will be here to wait on you promptly. Come in when you please, go out when you please, look around, buy or not, you're welcome. The largest stock, the finest goods, and the lowest prices in the valley. Prices guaranteed fully 10 per cent. the lowest or your money back.

$5.00 for men's excellent suits of black and blue, pure thibet, absolutely fast color, sold most everywhere for $7.00.

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Men's fine worsted dress suits of pure 18 ounce clay, farmer satin lined, sewed throughout with silk. A thoroughly reliable suit usually sold for $10, at $7.75.

$8.75 for men's and young men's pure Scotch cheviot suits in plain, fancy colors, and plaids, usually sold at from $10 and $12

We want to call your particular attention to a special overcoat that we're having an unusual sale on this season. Its made of pure blue and black kersey cloth, lined half with a deep satin yoke, the other half with a pure 18 ounce clay worsted yoke, sewed throughout with silk—has a pure silk velvet collar, is 41 inches long. A stylish durable overcoat that could easily be retailed at from $12 to $13. Our price $9.00, and if you can match it elsewhere, come back and get your money.

$1.25 for serviceable heavy all wool pants, warranted not to rip. $1.50 for grey pin striped, pure wool Reading cassimeres.

Extra fine suits and overcoats strictly hand made throughout, perfect fitting, elegant linings, elegant trimmings, cut in the very newest fashion, the only thing necessary to make it a custom garment is the price. Instead of paying the tailor $20 $25 or $30, pay us $12, $15 or 18.

Children's novelties—What store handles an assortment such as ours? What store gives you such styles or such prices.

$148, $1.75, $1.98 for real cute creations in children's novelties, nicely braided, good fitting and splendidly made, $2.50, $3.00, $4 and $5 for highest grades.

$1.75 for splendid serviceable stylish boy's suits, age, 7 to 15, in neat grey mixtures or small plaids, nicely made and splendid fitting.

$2.50 for nice heavy all wool ones of a superior grade of cloth and make. $3, $4 and $5 for finest makes.

Our underwear department is full of surprises. 50c. for a wool fleece lined shirt or drawers. Merino, camels hair and natural wool, best grades up to $3.50 the suit.

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PICKPOCKETS AT WORK.

Two Women Robbed by Unknown Persons at Milton.

The Milton fair last week brought its usual crowd of pickpockets. As Mrs. Horace Evans, of 2041 Wallace Street, Philadelphia, was about to get on the 7:55 passenger train going east Friday night, a man grabbed her pocketbook containing some $75 in money, valuable receipts and her ticket to that place. She was so frightened that she was unable to identify the person.

Mrs. Emma Crawford's pocketbook with about $2, was also grabbed from her hand just as she stepped out of the post office Friday night.

NORA APPLEMAN.

Nora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Appleman, died at the home of her parents, on Iron Street, Thursday afternoon, aged thirty-three years, five months and seventeen days. Though confined to her bed for the last eleven weeks, she never complained, and when her last hour approached she passed quietly to her rest. Her father and mother, and an only sister, Mrs. G. W. Mears, of Rupert, survive. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. B. C. Conner, of the Methodist Church, at the house Monday afternoon at two o'clock. Interment in Rosemont Cemetery.

To-night that effervesent and versatile Comedian Dan Kelley commences a four nights engagement with the manager of the Opera House.

Mr. Kelly is too well-known to need comment, save it to say, that the management of the Opera House has made more than a wise move in selecting such an attraction as this for fair week with us.

Furthermore there is no advance in prices at all.

The same old thing the patrons of the Opera House will enjoy a rare treat this time as they must have some where to go evenings and Mr. Kelly does not take advantage of the celebration to advance his prices, but the same old thing, twenty-five, thirty-five and fifty cents. So if you can come do so as they have a different play every night.

The stone work on the new Methodist church is nearly finished.

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Men's suits and overcoats, $3.98 to $20.00.
Boy's suits and overcoats, $2.88 to $15.00.
Children's suits and overcoats, 79c. to $7.50.
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MAS. BRYAN A WHEELWOMAN.

She Believes the "Bike" Promotes Freedom From Nervous Disorders.

The wives of American statesmen are apt to be interesting women, and the public likes to know all about them. When a woman rises to a position of prominence nowadays almost the first question asked is, "Does she ride a bike?" Perhaps the woman most prominent before the public at this time is Mrs. William Jennings Bryan, of Lincoln, Neb. It will please thou-

Mrs. Bryan and her Wheel.

sands of wheelwomen to learn that Mrs. Bryan favors the wheel. She believes that many of the nervous disorders to which women are subject can be avoided through a judicious use of the bicycle. For herself she prefers a spin just about sundown, when the cares and worries of the household are over. The Bryans juniors are also cyclists, William Jennings the second being quite an adept.

Restless Convalescents.

Some excellent suggestions are made by a writer in one of the magazines, who recommends various ways of beguiling the tedious hours of a child's convalescence. Mention is made of a little boy who found great and lasting amusement in cutting out figures from a bunch of long, slender radishes, by carving them into a wonderfully close imitation of any animal he fancied. With a penknife he cut eyes, nose and mouth, using wooden toothpicks, cut into proper lengths, for ears, legs and tails. This same laddie also made a very interesting lot of animals some of which were possessed of wonderful character and expression, from small, sweet potatoes, which are well shaped for this purpose, and the dearest wee turtles imaginable he manufactured from raisins, with cloves for feet.

If the convalescent is a little girl she may not take kindly to the knife, but with a little help from her elders paper dolls may be made companionable and the sick bed will be looked back upon as the most fascinating playground of her life.

Veranda Cosies.

The wide veranda that sweeps about a summer home in the mountains shows what can be done with rustic materials. All the furniture, including the table, is made of wood with the bark left on. The floor is painted green. A tree growing against the corner has had its branches bent and trained to stretch close against the posts on either side, thus forming a natural screen of living green. Here the cages of several pet birds are hung, to whom come as visitors the wild denizens of the forest, the birds eager for the seeds which are scattered on the rims of the trays, and even bright-eyed squirrels condescending to make a call for the sake of the nuts which are placed purposely in their way.

A Remedy for Red Hands.

Red hands are often benefited by being washed in oatmeal water—that is, take some fine oatmeal, boil it in water for about an hour, strain, then night and morning use the liquid to wash in; it, however, requires to be made fresh every day, as it so soon turns sour, and smells very disagreeable. For exceptionally red and harsh hands, a few grains of chloride of lime may be safely added to the soft warm water you wash them in, but remember to remove your rings, or they will be tarnished.

For Pillow Cushions.

Japanese crepe is an admirable and inexpensive material for covering pillows. In dark blue, with large white conventional flowers wandering over it, it is most effective. Both chintz and cretonne make pretty pillows, and the pillows covered with plain gingham are among the favorites of the season. Satin-covered pillows are still in use. They are made very beautiful as well as costly by being appliqued with lace designs.

In Canning Time.

At canning time the filling of jars may be greatly expediated by the use of a grocer's funnel, and a small milk dipper is the best thing for ladling out the hot fruit or syrup. Never use a rubber the second season if possible to procure new ones. When old ones must be employed, drop them to soak a few minutes in boiling water previous to using. Set the jars as soon as contents are cold in a cool and dark place.

Green Corn, Maryland Style.

Take six ears of steamed green corn, when cool enough to handle, and cut off the kernels. Cut one-quarter of a pound of fat bacon in little strips, then in very small dice, and fry them crisp. Take them out of the fat and add the corn to the hot fat, toss it about a few minutes, add salt and cayenne, and turn out on a hot dish, strew the bits of bacon over the top and serve.

FASHION NOTES

The newest bicycle belt is made with a little pocket at the side.

White pique shirt waists are smart when worn with linen or crash skirts.

The old-fashioned silk Irish poplins have gained a great popularity for street wear and for summer calling gowns.

A full skirt with a perfectly smooth front-gore is an acceptable mode for transparent fabrics.

Sailor collars are variously made with tripple-pointed backs and slashed backs, the same idea being carried out in front.

Smart wheelmen are now copying the Parisian fashion of providing a collar of silver bells for the handle bars of their machines.

Conspicuous for the beauty of its design is a hair ornament that blends fine scroll work with light feathery sprays of single small stones.

Numbered with imported novelties is a silver toast rack which can be adjusted to the ordinary coffee cup. It accommodates two slices of toast.

Every plumage that can possibly be utilized for the purpose will appear in bons, which will be made of cut ostrich feathers, of the irridescent breast plumage of the Poland duck, of black rand feathers, and of anything else that any variety of bird may suggest.

It seems to be quite certain that the jardiniere effect in ribbons will be superseded by moire ribbons in plain colors, and by velvet ribbons. Many of these latter will have broad central stripes of one color and inch wide border stripes of strong contrasting shades.

Green will be popular, particularly the moss tones. Gray will be much worn, especially the silver grays. Deep violet will be a great favorite, and marine blues and neutral lilacs will be used, but black and white, separately and combined, will make the strongest appeal for approval.

Fashions in cycling hats follow closely upon the masculine modes. Pure white alpine shapes, made in strongly ribbed canvas and in soft felt, will be the fad par excellence. A white quill and a white galloon band will be the only trimming permitted. It is well to add here that these delicate hats may be kept clean with a free use of French chalk, rubbed well into the felt, all the loose powder being afterward rubbed off.

For some time jet ornaments have been eclipsed by showy crystals, mock rubies, emeralds, topazes, pearls, etc. But they threaten to return in the fall in a series of new devices, taking the form of buckles, brooches, slides, and in numberless ways, declaring themselves quite the most useful and becoming millinery ornamentation. French cut steel, too, will be in high favor, both as buckles and as a setting for mock precious stones.

Chaperonage in Dixie.

The American chaperon is, as a rule, a much loved object and particularly is this so with the Southern woman. Attentions are always showered upon the youths and gallants of the South, and she remains always a desirable addition to any party. All phases of a woman's social life pale into misty insignificance beside the duties of a chaperon at a house party. Nothing short of an inspiration can be relied upon in selecting the guests. One must know all the events of the past that are of importance in the lives of the people concerned, lest several enemies, or two men in love with the same woman, or two women with one man, creep unawares to the party. Then the daily plans, what to do with them, etc. I asked one young wife, who has a lovely home, and is justly famous for her entertaining, how she managed it all so happily. "Well," she said, "the house is large, we have a good library and plenty of hammocks, so I just let them all alone until evening, when I have something of special interest arranged for." This is the ideal life of the English house parties—perfect freedom in a charming home.

Cleaning Woolen Garments.

It often happens that woollen things, when wanted in a hurry, are found to be soiled. It may be a shawl, blouse, or tennis flannels. What is to be done? Get one pound of fresh bran and put it in the oven on a large flat dish, to get as hot as can be. Spread the article on a bare table. Get some one to hold it firm, then empty half the bran on the soiled parts, and with a stiff, clean brush, and the tips of your fingers, rub it in as quickly as you can while the heat remains. Then shake the article, and if not quite clean give it another dressing with fresh bran.

Chicken Hash or Toast.

Boil a chicken the day before, and with the broth prepare chicken soup. Next day cut the chicken into very small pieces. Cut into small dice two raw potatoes; put these into a frying pan with enough of the chicken broth to prevent burning. After ten minutes' cooking add the cut up chicken and a chopped pepper, and if too dry moisten with more of the broth left from the day before. Season with salt and pepper, amalgamate the ingredients well together, turn out on thin slices of crisp toast and serve.

Lettuce and Tomato Salad.

Choose bright, firm tomatoes, peel them and place on ice; select the white inner parts of lettuce; wipe each leaf, fold in a wet napkin and place on ice. When time to serve arrange lettuce in groups of two or three leaves each to form cups; into each cup formed by the leaves put one heaping teaspoonful of the dressing. Then cut the tomatoes in halves and press the flat side of one half into each spoonful of dressing, so that the latter curls up over the edges of the tomato.

Wrinkled Gloves.

Women who care to preserve the whiteness and beauty of their arms and hands always wear loose gloves. Ellen Terry has a large hand, almost masculine in the strength of its lines though the fingers are well tapered, but she never seeks to disguise its proportions by compression in any direction.

It is a Local Paper.

When a pastor wants an announcement he goes to the local paper. When the ladies want a notice of a church supper published they go to the local paper for a write-up. When a political party issues a call or holds a meeting it calls on the local paper for publicity. When an obituary of some loved one is wanted in print the local paper is called on. Society in general turn to the local paper for a written detail of all its movements. In fact, a thousand other things are expected of the local paper, and yet we find many citizens so selfish that they will hesitate and often refuse to spend a small mite to support it, or give their job work in return for the many free notices they receive during a year's time.

Secretary of the Navy, Herbert, on his return from Europe, said that in his visit to the foreign gun and steel works he had seen nothing to excel American manufacture, and he was convinced that the vessels of the American navy were second to none in the world.

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WASHINGTON.

From our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9th, 1896.

Chairman Faulkner and all the other officials at democratic headquarters in Washington have a we're-bound-to-win expression on their faces. They have not lacked confidence from the beginning, but they have received information this week which they think makes the election of Bryan an absolute certainty. They deem it best not to make public the exact nature of this information at this time.

Mr. Lawrence Gardner, secretary of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, returned this week from the convention of the National Association of Democratic Clubs, of which he is also Secretary. He says the convention was the most largely attended and most thoroughly enthusiastic of any convention of the kind ever held, and that despite the hard times and the discrimination of the railroads there was a larger attendance than was expected. Speaking of what he learned on the trip Mr. Gardner said: "While at St. Louis, and on my way thither and back, consultations were had with delegates from all parts of the country, and while I went to St. Louis already satisfied that Mr. Bryan would be elected, I returned with absolute certainty that nothing can be done to stay the tide which will carry him into the White House. I have refrained, up to the present time, from expressing my opinion for publication, but now, feeling so absolutely confident of the result, state the sincere belief that Bryan's election is assured. But as this is the fight of the people against the money powers of the world, we must be watchful and keep up the fight until the results are declared."

Democrats are wondering whether President Cleveland's return to Washington indicates his taking an active part in the remainder of the campaign. Some say one thing and some another. Meanwhile Secretaries Carlisle and Morton are talking for gold and small fry officials are asked for their resignations for talking for silver.

More than three hundred enthusiastic democrats went out to Laurel to hear Senator Gorman make his first Bryan and Sewall speech, and they were amply paid for so doing. Senator Gorman's statement of his own position on the financial question was at once modest and forceful. He said: "There are some democrats who have thought it best to go slow on the question now before the people, but when we submitted our views at the highest court in this land, the National Convention, there was nothing left for any democrat to do but to accept the decision." The Senator paid his respects to the bolters in a few vigorous and characteristic words, and closed by assuring his hearers that the Maryland voters could not be bought—in his own language: "I think I know the people well enough to say that all the banks, railroads and other corporations will not be able to prevent Maryland from casting her electoral vote for Bryan and Sewall."

This week the Democratic Congressional Committee issued a pocket campaign book, giving in a nutshell the attitude of the democratic party in the present campaign, and specially designed to aid democrats in arguing for the free coinage of silver. Senator Faulkner says it is one of the most unique, useful and popular campaign books ever issued.

Here are some of the reasons, in the shape of letters received at democratic headquarters in Washington, why the republicans are getting frightened about Ohio. From Fullerton, the Chairman of the Silver Club writes: "In our backwoods town in the corner of Ohio, where we usually poll nearly two hundred republican to ten or twelve democratic votes, we have organized a silver club, which now has more than ninety members. There has been a silver club organized in every township around us," and from Redfield the secretary of another Silver club writes: "This precinct polled 82 democratic votes last fall, and we will have over one hundred this fall."

Mr. Sewall's letter of acceptance made public this week, is confirmation which nobody can dispute of the positive assertion made weeks ago in this correspondence, that Mr. Sewall would neither be withdrawn nor withdraw from the ticket upon which he was placed by the Chicago Convention.

The republicans came dangerously near to being thrown into a panic this week by the unfavorable views they received from Ohio and other states which they had fancied to be sure for McKinley. They are still making in private, but have mustered up sufficient courage to resume their old game of claiming everything in public, and notice has been served upon their millionaire backers that more money—lots more—must be at once raised and sent into Ohio and other states without which McKinley cannot possibly be elected.

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The State's Industries.

An Average Increase in Wages in 1895 Over 1894.

The chief of the bureau of industrial statistics of Pennsylvania has completed a compilation of interesting data concerning the silk, iron and steel industries of this state. In a comparison of the days the 381 establishments mentioned were in operation for the years from 1892 to 1895 he says that between 1892 and 1893 there was a decline in all of the fifty-one industries considered except horse shoes, oil tanks, water wheels, car springs and caramels. But as these industries represent but one establishment each, and the fifty-one industries on which the comparison is based represent 381 establishments, it will be seen that 375 had a decrease in number of days in operation. The highest percentage of loss was sustained in the worsted goods industry. The average decrease of days in operation to each person employed was thirty-one days. There was an increase in 1894 over the previous year in the number of days these establishments were operated.

The report will show the per capita of each wage earner in various branches of industrial work. A synopsis of the tables on this branch of the report show that the aggregate amount of wages paid to 149,568 persons was $7,933,317.

The lowest average in yearly earnings was reached in 1894, and the highest in 1892. The average for the former year was $411.39, and for the latter $483.89. The report will show that less than 500 persons had increased their yearly earnings in 1894 over 1892, the increase being nominal. The remaining 107,604 persons suffered a decrease. There was almost a uniform advance in yearly earnings last year over 1894, the average of all the industries in 1894 being $411.39, and last year $438.29. Forty-seven of the industries share in the increase.

"Forget Not All His Benefits."

Happy are those whose names suggest gladness and brightness, whose presence acts as sunshine wherever they may move. Even those who are not joyful by nature may become thankful and bright by grace, and recommend religion by putting away mutterings, complaints and irritability. The Bible urges us, "Forget not all his benefits." If we think about all our mercies, our preservations, our deliverances and more about the hope that is set before us, depression will be cured and the spirit of heaviness will be replaced by the garments of praise.—*Moravian.*

Human life is held too cheaply when the individual who needs a tonic for his system, seeks to cover his wants by purchasing every new mixture that is recommended to him. Remember that Ayer's Sarsaparilla has a well-earned reputation of fifty year's standing.

Another Treasury Raid.

The roofs of the administration building and state library are being repaired. The work on this part of the building is very inferior and every heavy rain the water pours through the roofs into the departments, causing much damage to furniture and carpets. It has been found necessary to extend the tin sheeting over the capstones around the building and paint the roof. The roof of the state library has never been painted. The only substantial part of the buildings are the walls. The next legislature will probably make an appropriation for another story to the administration building. Hot water is being put in both buildings and other improvements are being made.—Harrisburg *Patriot.*

So it goes! After spending fully $600,000 in building an abortion called the administration building and ruining the finest old capitol edifice in the country, we are told that "the roofs of the administration building and state library are being repaired;" that "the work on this part of the building is very inferior, and every heavy rain the water pours through the roofs into the departments, causing much damage to furniture and carpets." Then "hot water is being put in both buildings and other improvements are being made," and "the next legislature will probably make an appropriation for another story to the administration building." Furthermore, the defective acoustic properties of the hall of the house of representatives will require an additional sum of $70,000 to rectify the mistake of the architect or contractors. What a nice penny will have to be paid by the taxpayers upon the completion of these changes or improvements—if they ever are completed!

It is a burning shame that the people of Pennsylvania are burdened with servants who create such expenditures. Like the old man of the sea they have gotten upon their backs, and hard, indeed, is it now to shake them off. Money squandered here and there, the administration building, lieutenant governor's apartments, committee rooms and executive mansion furnished in a style equal to that of the most opulent millionaires or foreign potentates, and the people grumbling all the while because taxes are high, wages low, and the necessaries of life hard to get. Well, there is no law upon the statute book as yet to keep them from grumbling, but it requires not the ken of a prophet to say that the present sad state of affairs in this grand old commonwealth will continue.

"Till the sun grows cold
And the stars are old
And the leaves of the Judgment
book unfold."

—*From the Pennsylvania Methodist.*

What One Young Man Claims to Do.

Here is a problem for some of the young blades to solve who cannot make both ends meet on a good salary. A young clerk in one of our dry goods stores gets only $7.50 a week, but with that sum he has, during the past year, paid three dollars per week to his mother for board, furnished his room with antique oak furniture, draperies and carpet, bought six expensive books for his library, takes five shares in the co-operative bank, pays a five dollar membership fee to the Young Men's Christian Association, has a seat in church which he pays ten dollars a year for and gives to the poor whenever he sees their need. He is a patron of the boys' club on Pynchon street, and has furnished many games for them. He subscribes for two papers, gives his two sisters each twenty-five cents a week for spending money, has supplied a poor boy with all the clothes the lad has had for the past year, takes his best girl to nice entertainments, dresses well and owes no man a cent.—Springfield (Mass.) *Homestead.*

About Stamps.

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The Law Committee of the Williamsport Council has decided that the Sunday law must stand, and cigars and soda cannot be sold on Sunday. The petition of the church people contained the names of 900 voters and 600 other people, principally women, while the petition asking for the repeal of Sunday ordinance contained only two or three hundred names.

The most uncomfortable man in the world to get along with is he who will not acknowledge that you know more than he does.

Bisbee, a mining town in Arizona with a population of 2,500 was almost entirely washed away by a cloud burst last week.

Every man who hates his enemies, believes that there ought to be a hell, no matter whether he believes in the Bible or not.

Never judge a man by the clothes he wears, form your estimate from the wearing apparel of his wife.

Some men think they are at the top of the ladder when they have not ascended the first round.

The devil would have been whipped long ago, had he not found something good to hide behind.

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Wilkesbarre... lv	† 7 30	†10 15	† 3 17	† 6 00
Plym'th Ferry "	† 7 38	10 21	† 3 22	† 6 05
Nanticoke..... "	7 46	10 30	3 29	6 14
Mocanaqua.... "	8 04	10 50	3 47	6 35
Wapwallopen. "	8 13	11 00	3 57	6 46
Nescopeck .... ar	8 24	11 17	4 08	6 58
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Tomhicken..... "	7 20	11 25	3 23	.....
Fern Glen..... "	7 28	11 34	3 33	.....
Rock Glen .... "	7 43	11 40	† 3 39	.....
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Sunbury..... "	9 35	12 55	5 20	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Sunbury lv	† 9 58	† 1 00	† 5 40	.....
Lewisburg .... ar	10 29	1 45	6 10	.....
Milton ..... "	10 24	1 29	6 06	.....
Williamsport.. "	11 15	2 20	7 00	.....
Lock Haven... "	12 00	3 02	8 00	.....
Renovo ..... "	P. M.	4 30	9 00	.....
Kane..... "	.....	8 10	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Sunbury..... lv	† 9 48	† 1 55	† 5 30	.....
Harrisburg.... ar	†11 30	† 3 30	† 7 10	.....
	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.	
Philadelphia .ar	† 3 00	† 6 13	†11 14	.....
Baltimore..... "	† 1 10	† 6 00	†10 40	.....
Washington "	† 4 10	† 7 15	.....	.....
	A. M.	P. M.		
Sunbury lv	†10 05	† 2 45	.....	.....
	P. M.			
Lewistown Jc ar	†12 05	† 4 37	.....	.....
Pittsburg..... "	† 7 20	†11 30	.....	.....
		P. M.	P. M.	
Harrisburg lv	.....	† 3 50	† 7 30	.....
Pittsburg ..... ar	.....	†11 20	† 2 00	.....

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	P. M.	P. M.		A. M.
Pittsburg..... lv	† 7 15	† 3 10	.....	† 8 00
Harrisburg..... ar	† 2 10	† 3 32	.....	† 2 10
		A. M.		A. M.
Pittsburg..... lv	.....	.....	.....	† 8 00
				P. M.
Lewistown Jc. "	.....	† 7 37	.....	† 3 15
Sunbury..... ar	.....	† 9 28	.....	† 5 10
	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.
Washington..... lv	†10 40	.....	.....	†10 30
Baltimore..... "	†11 50	† 4 15	.....	†11 40
Philadelphia... "	†11 20	† 4 30	.....	†12 25
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.
Harrisburg..... lv	† 3 20	† 8 15	.....	† 3 55
Sunbury ..... ar	† 5 08	† 9 56	.....	† 5 35
	P. M.	A. M.		A. M.
Erie lv	† 3 25	.....	.....	.....
Kane..... "	† 7 05	.....	.....	† 6 30
Renovo ..... "	10 35	.....	.....	10 25
Lock Haven..... "	11 25	† 7 15	.....	P. M.
	A. M.			3 00
Williamsport.. "	3 25	8 15	.....	4 00
Milton ..... "	4 12	9 10	.....	4 56
Lewisburg ..... "	.....	9 00	.....	4 47
Sunbury..... ar	4 36	9 38	.....	5 25
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.
Sunbury lv	† 5 20	†10 00	.....	† 5 43
S. Danville..... "	5 48	10 22	.....	6 07
Catawissa..... "	6 08	10 40	.....	6 26
E. Bloomsburg"	Via	10 48	.....	6 33
Espy Ferry..... "	Rock	†10 52	.....	† 6 38
Creasy ..... "	Glen.	11 01	.....	6 48
Nescopeck .... ar	8 07	11 11	.....	6 58
	A. M.	A. M.		P. M.
Nescopeck..... lv	.....	†11 11	.....	† 6 58
Rock Glen..... ar	† 6 52	†11 07	.....	7 22
Fern Glen..... "	6 59	11 43	.....	7 27
Tomhicken..... "	7 10	11 54	.....	7 34
		P. M.		
Hazleton ..... "	7 34	12 15	.....	7 56
Pottsville ..... "	8 45	1 10	.....	9 05
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Nescopeck..... lv	† 8 07	†11 11	† 1 08	† 6 58
Wapwallopen. ar	8 18	11 52	4 20	7 09
Mocanaqua..... "	8 28	11 32	4 32	7 21
Nanticoke ..... "	8 48	11 54	4 53	7 42
		P. M.		
Plym'th Ferry "	† 8 56	12 02	5 07	7 52
Wilkesbarre..... "	9 05	12 10	5 10	8 00
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Pittston (Q & R) ar	† 9 41	†12 49	† 5 54	† 8 32
Scranton " "	10 10	1 16	6 27	9 03

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

DELAWARE, LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	EAST.			
	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
NORTHUMBERLAND.....	6 25	1.50	10 05	5 50
Cameron.....	6 28	.....	.....	6 03
Chulasky.....	.....	.....	.....	6 07
Danville.....	6.50	2 12	10 26	6 13
Catawissa.....	7 03	2 26	10 39	6 28
Rupert.....	7.09	2 31	10 44	6 33
Bloomsburg.....	7 14	2 36	10 49	6 39
Espy.....	7 23	2 42	....	6 45
Lime Ridge.....	7 30	2 48	.....	6 52
Willow Grove.....	7 34	2 59	.....	6 56
Briarcreek.....	7 38	.....	.....	7 00
Berwick.....	7 48	3 01	11 12	7 06
Beach Haven.....	7 54	3 07	11 18	7 12
Hick's Ferry.....	8 00	3 13	....	7 19
Shickshinny.....	8 10	3 24	11 33	7 35
Hunlock's.....	8 20	3 34	....	7 47
Nanticoke.....	8 27	3 42	11 49	7 54
Avondale.....	8 32	3 47	.....	7 58
Plymouth.....	8 37	3 52	11 56	8 03
Plymouth Junction.....	8 42	3 57	.....	8 07
Kingston.....	8 53	4 08	12 05	8 12
Bennett.....	8 53	4 08	.....	8 16
Forty Fort.....	8 56	4 11	.....	8 15
Wyoming.....	9 01	4 17	12 16	8 22
West Pittston.....	9 06	4 22	.....	8 30
Susquehanna Ave.....	9 10	4 25	12 23	8 53
Pittston.....	9 15	4 30	12 26	8 29
Duryea.....	9 19	4 34	.....	8 44
Lackawanna.....	9 21	4 37	.....	8 48
Taylor.....	9 32	4 45	12 40	8 57
Bellevue.....	9 37	4 50	....	9 02
SCRANTON.....	9 42	4 55	12 48	9 07
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

STATIONS.	WEST.			
	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
SCRANTON.....	6 00	9 55	1 55	6 0
Bellevue.....	6 05	.....	.....	.....
Taylor.....	6 10	10 04	2 05	6 10
Lackawanna.....	6 18	10 11	2 13	6 17
Duryea.....	6 22	10 14	2 16	6 21
Pittston.....	6 28	10 18	2 20	6 9
Susquehanna Ave.....	6 32	10 21	2 23	6 28
West Pittston.....	6 35	10 24	2 27	6 31
Wyoming.....	6 40	10 29	2 32	6 36
Forty Fort.....	6 45	.....	.....	.....
Bennett.....	6 48	10 36	2 39	6 44
Kingston.....	6 54	10 39	2 45	6 53
Plymouth Junction.....	6 59	10 47	2 50	.....
Plymouth.....	7 04	10 47	2 54	7 0
Avondale.....	7 09	.....	2 58	7 07
Nanticoke.....	7 14	10 54	3 03	7 12
Hunlock's.....	7 20	11 00	3 10	7 20
Shickshinny.....	7 31	11 10	3 24	7 35
Hick's Ferry.....	7 44	11 23	3 55	7 47
Beach Haven.....	7 51	11 32	3 42	7 53
Berwick.....	8 00	11 40	3 49	8 00
Briarcreek.....	8 06	.....	3 55	.....
Willow Grove.....	8 10	11 50	3 59	8 11
Lime Ridge.....	8 14	11 56	4 04	8 1
Espy.....	8 21	12 04	4 11	8 2
Bloomsburg.....	8 28	12 12	4 17	8 20
Rupert.....	8 34	12 18	4 23	8 26
Catawissa.....	8 40	12 24	4 29	8 41
Danville.....	8 55	12 37	44	8 58
Chulasky.....	.....	.....	4 49	.....
Cameron.....	9 05	12 46	4 54	9 16
NORTHUMBERLAND.....	9 20	1 00	5 18	9 25
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P. M.

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THE COLUMBIAN,
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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1896.

Thomas E. Watson, Populist nominee for Vice-President of the United States, is seriously ill at his home with lung trouble.

The Cramps of Philadelphia will receive $350,000 in premiums for building the man-of-war Brooklyn. That is a pretty stiff price for the government to pay for a little higher rate of speed.

Governor Hastings has received a communication from the Governor of North Carolina asking him to appoint two delegates to a convention which will meet in Ashville, on October 21, 22 and 23, to select a national flower.

FLAW IN THE BALLOT LAW.

Pittsburg Lawyer Raises a Question which May Lead to Endless Confusion.

PAPERS MAY BE DEFECTIVE.

He Contends that Legislative Nominations Must be Certified to County Commissioners—Independents Given a Hard Jolt.

William J. Brennan, a well known lawyer and former chairman of the Allegheny county Democratic Committee, has forwarded a letter to Chairman Garman, of the State Democratic Committee, in regard to the construction of the Baker ballot law relative to the filing of nomination papers. Mr. Brennan contends that the certificates of candidates for the State House of Representatives should be filed with the County Commissioners instead of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, the former provisions of the act, which was passed in 1891, having been repealed by the succeeding legislature.

If Mr. Brennan is correct, it is claimed every nomination made for the legislature this year by both parties is invalid. As it is too late to file certificates with the County Commissioners, nomination papers would have to be resorted to. A nice point of law is involved in the question. It is stated that Mr. Brennan will file a bill in court which will necessitate a decision.

It is also stated that Mr. Brennan is so sure of his premises that he has caused nomination papers to be circulated in his own district and will on or before Tuesday next present such papers to the County Commissioners for filing. In case they refuse to do so he will bring the matter before the courts on a writ of mandamus.

Why Certainly, of Course.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:—Have you heard from Altgeld? Is your circulation as much as it was two months ago? How much would you give to be back in the Democratic fold? Does not your gold received to support a traitor to his conviction pain you somewhat? We will be able after awhile to put all the silver coined in circulation. You lied when you said the government could not pay its obligations in silver. You will admit that you have made a damn fool of yourself. Yours, etc.,

G. H. SHARPLESS.

The above appeared in Saturday's issue of the Philadelphia *Times*.

Lived in a Stupor.

Sailed the Seas for Four Trips Yet Knew Nothing of it.

Eighteen months ago Jason L. Miller, aged 40, chief telegraph operator for the Lehigh Valley Railroad, at Wilkes-Barre, suddenly disappeared. His wife gave him up for dead. On Saturday Miller returned to the city as suddenly as he had left. His wife and two children were overjoyed.

He says that he was sandbagged one night while on his way home. The next thing he remembered was that he was riding in a freight car. What transpired after that until about ten days ago is a blank to him. On October 1 his senses returned to him. He was on board a British ship. The sailors told him he was making his fourth trip across the Atlantic Ocean. As soon as the vessel reached port he boarded a train for Wilkes-Barre, reaching there Saturday morning. A physician who examined Miller says he is in good health, but his case is considered a remarkable one.

The potato crop in Pennsylvania is said to be so large that farmers are almost giving the tubers away.

AN OPEN LETTER TO MR. KULP.

BENTON, PA., Oct. 9, 1896.

To Hon. Monroe H. Kulp,
Shamokin, Pa.

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of Sept. 30th, soliciting my support to your candidacy for re-election to Congress in the 17th Congressional district, was received a few days ago. In reply, let me ask, what excuse can you render for the increased appropriations and governmental expenses that characterize the 54th Congress "a billion dollar Congress," in a time of general depression and, exceptionally hard times?

Did you vote for increased appropriations? Why did the 54th Congress, (of which you were a member) refuse to legislate for the financial relief of the people rather than choose a title to distinguish that body as "*A Do-nothing Congress!*"

Is overproduction the cause of low prices for farm products?

Is the shrinkage of real estate values the cause of overproduction?

If all the farms of the United States were owned and operated by stock companies, how would farm stock sell in the market, under present conditions?

How does bank stock sell in comparison?

What is the cause of the difference in the value of the above named stock.

Suppose, thirty-two years ago, that two men of equal capital, say $10,000 each, one invested that amount in a farm, and the other loaned an equal amount at 6 per cent simple interest, what would be the relative results from the investments at the present time?

What is the cause of these unequal results?

Please answer the above questions through the columns of the COLUMBIAN and my support will depend upon the manner and gravity of your answers.

Yours truly,
PHILIP GIBBON.

Death of Judge Green.

The Well-known Trenton Jurist Succumbs Suddenly to Pneumonia.

Edward T. Green, Judge of the United States District Court for the district of New Jersey, died at his home on West Eighth street, Trenton, about one oclock Saturday afternoon. The Judge had been ill but a few days with pneumonia, and his death was unexpected.

Judge Green leaves a widow and three children. The widow is a daughter of Chief Justice Beasley, of the New Jersey Supreme Court. The children are Mrs. Annie Kissam, Miss Charlotte Green and Dr. Walter D. Green of Philadelphia.

Judge Green was a son of the late George S. Green and a nephew of the late Chancellor Green. He was born in Trenton in 1837, graduated from Princeton in 1854 and took up the study of law. For twenty years he was general counsel of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, a position while he held at the time of his appointment as Judge of the District Court in 1889. In politics, Judge Green was a Republican.

A Grand Display.

The general impression is that J. W. Guernsey of 37 So. Main Street, Wilkes-Barre, 205 Washington Ave., Scranton—who also has many branch stores in various sections of the country—has the finest display of pianos and organs ever seen on the fair ground or in this section. The array of pianos were all selected for this special occasion and prices will be greatly reduced during this week.

Those wishing to purchase should be sure to see this stock, and get prices and terms.

Rev. Hontz and Rev. Riddle assisted Rev. B. C. Conner in the services at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning. Nearly seventy full members were taken in the Church. Rev. Riddle addressed the congregation in the evening.

The upper end of town was lively for a few minutes on Saturday evening, caused by an alarm of fire being given. The fire was said to be the house of Peter Miller at the foot of Market St., and everybody ran in that direction, but upon investigation it was found to be nothing more than the burning of some rubbish.

A large number were present at the lecture of Mr. A. V. Bower, of Scranton, on the life of Michael Angelo, at the Methodist tabernacle, on Friday evening. The life and work of the great sculptor were beautifully shown by a great many large stereopticon views. The lecture was very interesting, and greatly enjoyed by all present.

Fearing he would lose an election bet, Norman Haite, of Miner's Mills, committed suicide by climbing a large tree, placing a rope about his neck, and then fastening the other end to the limb of the tree, jumped. His lifeless body was found swinging in the air.

THE INDIANAPOLIS PLATFORM ON WHICH PALMER AND BUCKNER STAND.

As our columns are open to all, we give space to the platform and ticket of the Jeffersonian Democracy. They are inserted as an advertisement, and paid for.

The platform of principles adopted by the National Democratic Convention at Indianapolis on Sept. 3, 1896, is as follows:—

"This convention has assembled to uphold the principles upon which depend the honor and welfare of the American people, in order that Democrats throughout the Union may unite their patriotism to avert disaster from their country and ruin from their party.

"The Democratic party is pledged to equal and exact justice to all men of every creed and condition; to the largest freedom of the individual consistent with good government; to the preservation of the Federal Government in its constitutional vigor, and to the support of the States in all their just rights; to economy in the public expenditures; to the maintenance of the public faith and sound money; and it is opposed to paternalism and all class legislation.

CHICAGO PLATFORM AND TICKET SPURNED.

"The declarations of the Chicago convention attack individual freedom, the right of private contract, the independence of the judiciary, and the authority of the President to enforce Federal laws. They advocate a reckless attempt to increase the price of silver by legislation to the debasement of our monetary standard, and threaten unlimited issues of paper money by the Government. They abandon for Republican allies the Democratic cause of tariff reform to court the favor of protectionists to their financial heresy.

"In view of these and other grave departures from Democratic principles, we cannot support the candidate of that convention, nor be bound by its acts. The Democratic party has survived many defeats, but could not survive a victory won in behalf of the doctrine and policy proclaimed in its name at Chicago.

"The conditions, however, which make possible such utterances from a national convention are the direct result of class legislation by the Republican party. It still proclaims, as it has for years, the power and duty of government to raise and maintain prices by law; and it proposes no remedy for existing evils except oppressive and unjust taxation.

"The National Democracy, here reconvened, therefore renews its declaration of faith in Democratic principles, especially as applicable to the conditions of the times.

PURPOSES AND LIMITS OF TAXATION.

"Taxation, tariff, excise or direct, is rightfully imposed only for public purposes, and not for private gain. Its amount is justly measured by public expenditures, which should be limited by scrupulous economy. The sum derived by the Treasury from tariff and excise levies is affected by the state of trade and volume of consumption. The amount required by the Treasury is determined by the appropriations made by Congress.

"The demand of the Republican party for an increase in tariff taxes has its pretext in the deficiency of revenue, which has its causes in the stagnation of trade and reduced consumption, due entirely to the loss of confidence that has followed the Populist threat of free coinage and depreciation of our money and the Republican practice of extravagant appropriations beyond the needs of good government.

POPULISTIC ALLIANCE CONDEMNED.

"We arraign and condemn the Populistic conventions of Chicago and St. Louis for their co-operation with the Republican party in increasing these conditions, which are pleaded in justification of a heavy increase of burdens of the people and a further resort to protection.

"We therefore denounce protection and its ally, free coinage of silver, as schemes for the personal profit of a few at the expense of the many, and oppose the two parties which stand for these schemes as hostile to the people of the Republic, whose food and shelter, comfort and property are attacked by higher taxes and depreciated money.

FOR A TARIFF FOR REVENUE.

"In fine, we reaffirm the historic Democratic doctrine of a tariff for revenue only.

"We demand that henceforth modern and liberal policies toward American shipping shall take the place of our imitation of the restricted statutes of the eighteenth century, which were abandoned by every maritime power but the United States, and which, to the nation's humiliation, have driven American capital and enterprise to the use of alien flags and alien crews, have made the Stars and Stripes an almost unknown emblem in foreign waters, and have virtually extinguished the race of American seamen.

"We oppose the pretense that discriminating duties will promote shipping. That scheme is an invitation to commercial warfare upon the United States, un-American in the light of our great commercial treaties, offering no gain whatever to American shipping, while greatly increasing ocean freights on our agricultural and manufactured products.

RELATIVE USE OF SILVER AND GOLD.

"The experience of mankind has shown that by reason of their natural qualities gold is the necessary money of the large affairs of commerce and business, while silver is conveniently adapted to minor transactions, and the most beneficial use of both together can be ensured only by the adoption of the former as a standard of monetary measure, and the maintenance of silver at a parity with gold by its limited coinage under such safeguards of law.

"Thus the largest possible enjoyment of both metals is gained with a value universally accepted throughout the world, which constitutes the only practical currency, assuring the most stable standard and especially the best and safest money for all who earn a livelihood by labor or the produce of husbandry. They cannot suffer when paid in the best money known to men, but are the peculiar and most defenseless victims of a debased and fluctating currency, which offers continued profits to the money-changer, at their cost.

FOR SINGLE GOLD STANDARD.

"Realizing these truths, demonstrated by long public inconvenience and loss, the Democratic party in the interest of the masses and of equal justice to all, practically established by the legislation of 1834 and 1853, the gold standard of monetary measurement and likewise entirely divorced the Government from banking and currency issues. To this long established Democratic policy we adhere and insist upon the maintenance of the gold standard and of the parity therewith of every dollar issued by the Government, and are firmly opposed to the free and unlimited coinage of silver and to the compulsory purchase of silver bullion. But we denounce also the further maintenance of the present costly patchwork system of national paper currency as a constant source of injury and peril. We assert the necessity of such intelligent currency reform as will confine the Government to its legitimate functions, completely separated from the banking business, and afford to all sections of our country a uniform, safe and elastic bank currency under Government supervision, measured in volume by the needs of business.

PRAISE FOR PRESIDENT CLEVELAND.

"The fidelity, patriotism and courage with which President Cleveland has fulfilled his great public trust, the high character of his administration, its wisdom and energy in the maintenance of civil order and the enforcement of the laws, its equal regard for the rights of every class and every section, its firm and dignified conduct of foreign affairs and its sturdy persistence in upholding the credit and honor of the nation are fully recognized by the Democratic party, and will secure to him a place in history beside the fathers of the Republic.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM INDORSED.

"We also commend the Administration for the great progress made in the reform of the public service and we endorse its effort to extend the merit system still further. We demand that no backward step be taken, but that the reform be supported and advanced until the un-Democratic spoils system of appointments shall be eradicated.

"We demand strict economy in the appropriations and in the administration of the Government.

"We favor arbitration for the settlement of international disputes.

"We favor a liberal policy of pensions to deserving soldiers and sailors of the United States.

SUPREME COURT MUST BE UPHELD.

"The Supreme Court of the United States was wisely established by the framers of our Constitution as one of three co-ordinate branches of the Government. Its independence and authority to interpret the law of the land, without fear or favor, must be maintained. We condemn all efforts to degrade that tribunal or impair the confidence and respect which it has deservedly held. The Democratic party has ever maintained and ever will maintain, the supremacy of law, the independence of its judicial administration, the inviolability of contract and the obligations of all good citizens to resist every illegal trust, combination and attempt against the just rights of property and the good order of society, in which are bound up the peace and happiness of our people.

"Believing these principles to be essential to the well-being of the public, we submit them to the consideration of the American people."

PALMER AND BUCKNER JEFFERSONIAN TICKET.

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Tenth—George Steinman.
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Twelfth—George R Wright.
Thirteenth—Henry Royer.
Fourteenth—James J. Dull.
Fifteenth—Chauncey S. Russell.
Sixteenth—Frederick Ely Embick.
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Twenty-second—Thomas E. Lazear.
Twenty-third—James Bredin.
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A CARD.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of county commissioner, for the south side of the river, and respectfully solicite the votes of Democrats and all others who think that the south side ought to be represented.

CHARLES REICHART,
tf* Mainville, Pa.

EQUITY COURT RULES.

IT IS ORDERED SEPTEMBER 7, 1896.

That Rules in the Equity Court for the trial of causes at issue, may be entered on the Argument Rule Book on or before any monthly return day, fixing the time of trial at the second return day after entering the Rule—on twenty days notice to opposite party.

BY THE COURT.

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We cannot too strongly recommend an early examination of the various departments of our business. Each is now fully prepared to exhibit the

Very Latest and Most Desirable Fabrics for Fall and Winter.

Take for Example the Dress Goods.

Might as well try to sketch an autumn sunset with a lump of charcoal as attempt to describe the rich warm beauties of these master pieces of the weavers art. We were fixed with enthusiastic admiration for them when we bought them, and we want to convey this enthusiasm to you. Nothing but a visit to this up to date dress goods department will do this.

Latest novelties, blue ground with black figures, all wool, 45 in. wide, 85c. the yard.

Camel's hair novelties, all wool, in brown, blue and green, 43 in. wide, $1.00 the yd.

All wool novelties, red bodied, with navy black stripe, 38 in. wide, $1.00 the yd.

Brown, mixed, all wool poplin, 43 in. wide, $1.50 the yard.

Seen the New Garments?

No? Then there is a great surprise in store for you. You'll be surprised at the extreme moderation of price, and we will be much pleased at seeing you so surprised, and shall feel well repaid for our efforts when we see with what satisfaction you make your selections.

Shawls, all wool, $3.98
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Shawls, all wool, best the market affords $6.00

Elegant plush caps, trimmed with fur, lined with changeable silk, emb. with beads and braid, 20 in. long, with 125 in. sweep, $9.50

Plain plush cape, collar, and front edged with fur, lined with serge, 27 in. long, 135 in. sweep, $10.00

Plain black beaver cloth coat, edged with narrow braid, trimmed with buttons, two pockets, $6.50

Blue and black kersey cloth coat, lined all the way through with colored taffeta silk, trimmed with pearl buttons, cuffs to sleeves, $10.00
Best coat in town for the money.

Blankets.

Nothing more enjoyable on a real cold night than a nice warm blanket. You know the kind of blankets we always sell, the same kind we are selling this year—the right kind, the right price, and in fact, they are the best we can buy for the money anywhere. We have them here in a great variety of colored borders, different weights and prices. Will you see them?

Lamps.

One of the necessary things to a house. Time used to be when you could not enjoy having a nice lamp unless you were rich. Things have changed now, and they are in reach of every one. Our line this year, you will find far superior to any in town. We bought them right and are selling them right. If, when here you will ask to see them, you will be surprised at the collection and the littleness of price.

Dishes.

We want you when here to ask us to show you our line of Queensware. We can please you with them. Any price you want from $2.75 for an iron stone china tea set, to $30.00 for a full china dinner set. Four distinct patterns to select from in decorated semi porcelain. Sell you any number of pieces you want. Make you set your own price. Little or big, no difference to us.

Groceries.

Have you seen the German wafers? No? Then you should. The finest wafer in the market to-day. Put up in 1 lb. tins, healthful to eat and moderate in price, 21c. lb.

Won't want to work much this next week, Fair week you know. Just drop in and see what nice things we have to save you the trouble of cooking. They don't cost much either.

Pursel & Harman,

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Telephone Connection.

Some People Always Complain.

We say some. But no one complains of the loaf of bread they receive at the Exchange Bakery for five cents.

Try one and see if you will.

:: EXCHANGE BAKERY,

No. 12 Main St. L. F. BEISHLINE, Prop.

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COLLEGE of BUSINESS

Columbian Building, BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Will be organized **OCTOBER 29th.** One school in seven cities having the largest number of students of any business college in America.

.....$100 for $50.....

In order to facilitate organizing the Bloomsburg branch, the first fifty scholarships will be sold for only $50 each. A scholarship will entitle the holder to graduating courses in the Business, Shorthand, Typewriting, and English departments. Time unlimited. The regular rates for these courses in other schools are from $100 to $200.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1896.

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BRIEF MENTION.

About People You Know.

Miss Mary Osman, of Shamokin visited friends in Bloomsburg last week.

William H. Bennett of Williamsport, was a visitor to our town on Saturday.

M. E. Thomas, of Sunbury, transacted business in Bloomsburg on Saturday.

Mr. Gomar Tasker, of Wilkes-Barre, was in town for a few hours on Saturday.

Miss Mazie Moyer visited her brother in New York this week.

Miss Emma Sautters, of Williamsport, is visiting Miss May Gilmore on Market Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Damel Steck of Hughesville are visiting Mrs. Judge Rupert.

Dr. J. T. Fox of Catawissa, was in town on Monday

Mr. Walter Phillsbury, of West Chester, was a visitor to our town on Friday.

Miss Sallie Laycock visited friends in Berwick last week.

Mr. John Freeman of Danville spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Frank White of Scranton, was in town on Monday.

Miss Edna Wilson visited friends in Berwick last week.

Mr. John Beers and Bernard McBrearty, of Centralia, visited friends in town over Sunday.

J. C. McClure of Scranton visited E. P. Williams a few days last week.

Geo. E. Elwell has been unable to attend to business this week, being confined to the house by illness.

Miss Kate Donahue of Buffalo, is spending a few days visiting Mrs. G. E. Wilbur, on First Street.

Alphonsus Walsh, Esq, Democratic Candidate for Congress in this district, spent Friday night in town

W. H. Magill Esq., who spent the week attending the United States Court, at Williamsport, returned ho[illegible] on Saturday.

Mr. John Donahue, a drug clerk of Philadelphia, came up on Saturday to spend a few days in town.

Miss Annie Hartley returned on Friday after making an extended visit to relatives and friends in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Jac Keller went to Milheim, on Tuesday to attend the funeral of J. M. Summy, a brother of Mrs. Keller's.

Miss Lillie Doak, left on Monday for Philadelphia, where she intends spending a week.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Gilbert of Jenkintown, are visiting at Mr. Wm. Webb's on Main Street, this week.

Mrs. W. T. Hall and son Walter, left on Monday for Wilkes-Barre, where they intend spending a few weeks.

Miss Grace Logan, of Wilkes-Barre, is the pleasant guest of her cousin, Miss Sallie Logan, on Seventh Street.

The Misses Harris of Plymouth, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Beers.

Mrs. C. B. McMiner, of Williamsport, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Mushler, on Catharine Street.

Rev. I. M. Patterson went to Bellefonte on Monday to attend the meeting of the Presbyterian Synod. He is a delegate from the Presbytery.

It is well to keep cool in politics. Bribery only comes when the barrel has lost its head.

People going to the fair this week, should take great care and see that their doors are locked, and also take good care of their pocketbooks, as pickpockets and thieves of every kind follow up fairs and rob people of their money right before their eyes.

If any of the school teachers of the town want scraps of paper that fall from the paper cutter in this office, they are perfectly welcome to come here and get them. But we will no longer be annoyed by the hundreds of children that come here asking for paper scraps. They bring in mud on their shoes; they are noisy; and they scatter the papers all over the office. Many of them make the excuse that the teacher wants them." As stated above, teachers can have them by calling in person, but the children will no longer be allowed to come in the office.

Persimmons are ripening with the frost.

Green corn is getting scarce in the market.

Flowers are being taken indoors for the winter.

If a girl is not pretty she can easily make up for it.

The town is full of fakirs of every description.

Typhoid fever is reported to be raging at Phillipsburg.

The cylone that was predicted for Saturday for some reason or other failed to materialize.

Rev. Wagner of Hazleton, and Rev. McLinn of the Lutheran Church exchanged pulpits on Sunday.

The seventeenth annual session of the supreme castle, K. G. E. will be held at Reading this week.

The Normal foot ball team will go to Kingston to play the strong Seminary team on Saturday.

A small son of W. W. Lowery of Catharine street, died on Monday morning, aged one year.

Henry C. Wadlinger was struck by a passenger train at Shenandoah on Saturday and was killed.

The annual meeting of the State Council of the Daughters of Liberty is being held at Harrisburg this week.

Two steamboats on the Susquehanna river at Sunbury were sunk by the recent big storm.

Bloomsburg will no doubt be crowded this week with people from all over the State. The big fair is going on.

It is said that the attendance at the Milton fair last week was not up to former years.

The impurities in the blood which cause scrofulous eruptions are thoroughly eradicated by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Try it.

At the State Firemen's Association held at Johnstown last week, it was decided to hold the next annual meeting at Wilkes-Barre.

George DuMaurier, the noted novelist and author of "Trilby," died at London, on Thursday last, after a lingering illness.

Mr. Harry Jewell, of this town won the mile handicap and took second in the one mile open at the Milton fair bicycle races last week.

The Board of Health at Shenandoah has requested the School Board to enforce the law compelling vaccination of pupils.

After a very short illness, Susanna C., wife of H. H. Pfleger, died at Berwick last Thursday. The deceased was a daughter of Milton Cox, of this town.

True bills were returned at the United States Court in Williamsport last week against Z. R. Kile and Gus Shultz of this county, for having counterfeit money in their possession.

Because rag weeds are unusually high, those who think signs and omens are to be relied upon, say that we are going to have a hard winter, with plenty of deep snow.

Brick crossings are being put down on Main street. These crossings not only add to the appearance of the street but also make it much better in wet weather.

There seems to be a general revival of business throughout the country. Mills in different sections that were only working quarter time, have posted notices that from now on they will work full time.

I AM SELLING AT

COST ——my entire line of——

Artist's Materials and Undecorated French China

for painting. Everything you need for painting in oil or china. Come early while the line is complete.

W. S. Rishton,

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE. DRUGGIST.

Mr. Williams Buys the Columbian Business College.

Prof. E. W. Spackman proprietor of the business college recently organized in town sold his college last night to Pres. G. W. Williams, of the well known Williams chain of colleges. Mr. Williams will now establish a branch school here, and place it on an equal footing with the best in the state. The Bloomsburg college will then be one of seven schools that are conducted by the same management, making one school in seven cities, a scholarship in the Bloomsburg branch will be good in either of the other six that are in operation in different parts of the state.

This will be an excellent opportunity for the young and middle aged of this town and vicinity to attend a high grade business school without going away from home.

In order to facilitate the work of organizing the college Mr. Williams has decided to sell fifty charter member scholarship for only $50 each. A scholarship entitles the holder no graduating courses in the three departments, Business, Shorthand, and English, time unlimited.

The regular rates for these courses are from $100 to $200. The regular rate will be charged after the first fifty one sold.

In the commercial department, the celebrated Sadler System of teaching accounting and business forms will be used, and in the Shorthand department, Pitmanic system of shorthand, and Williams, Smith Premier, and Remington typewriters. The three departments will be in charge of able, scholarly teachers.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN O, made of pure grains that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN O.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Fresh meat of all kinds at the very lowest prices can always be had of G. Smith. Main St. below Market.

Louis Gross has just returned from New York and Philadelphia with the largest, finest and cheapest stock of clothing, hats and caps, &c., ever brought to Bloomsburg. To be convinced call in and satisfy yourselt, the only clothing house on same side of street as court house.

Fresh oysters daily, wholesale and retail at G. Smith's. Main St. below Market.

Men's fashionable Kersy overcoats half satin and half Clay lined, sewed throughout with silk, silk velvet collar, sewed throughout with silk, a coat worth every penny of $12 for $9.00—Gidding's.

Children's Tams

in blue, brown, red, tan &c. New lines just opened.—Gidding's.

Bananas, fruit, etc. way down in price at G. Smith's. Main St. below Market.

The Grand Restaurant will be open day and night during the fair.

Children's splendid Reefer suits, large sailor collar braided, brass or plain buttons at $1.98—Gidding's.

New goods in the latest styles of winter millinery at E. Barkley's, at very reasonable prices. Main street, below Matket. 2t.

Morris River cove oysters a specialty at the Grand Restaurant.

If you want to save money, buy your suits and overcoats at Gross'.

With facilities and arrangments at Maier's the tailor, clothier, hatter and gent's furnisher, clothing will be made to measure by fine merchant tailoring at the same price of being ready made. Fine all wool suits to $10. Trousers, $2.50. Positive satisfaction. Guaranteed cheap ready made suits $3.50. 2t

Boys excellent wool suits for $1.75—warranted fast color—Gidding's.

The greatest exhibition of good clothing at low prices you ever saw at Gross'.

Men's elegant dress suits of Pure 18 ounce Clay Worsted silk sewed throughout, splendid fitting and excellently made, fully worth $10 at 7.75.—Gidding's,

L. E. Whary will not have an exhibit at the fair this year, but he has a large assortment of stoves, heaters and ranges at his store on Main street, and visitors to the fair are requested to call and examine and get prices.

During Fair—best photographs and crayons at M'Killip Bros. Over H. J. Clark & Son's Store.

Do You Use It?

It's the best thing for the hair under all circumstances. Just as no man by taking thought can add an inch to his stature, so no preparation can make hair. The utmost that can be done is to promote conditions favorable to growth. This is done by Ayer's Hair Vigor. It removes dandruff, cleanses the scalp, nourishes the soil in which the hair grows, and, just as a desert will blossom under rain, so bald heads grow hair, when the roots are nourished. But the roots must be there. If you wish your hair to retain its normal color, or if you wish to restore the lost tint of gray or faded hair use

Ayer's Hair Vigor.

Wall paper, full lines and latest designs at Mercer's, opposite Episcopal Church.

Good men's suits, sizes 34 to 44, no shoddy, at $3.00 at Gross'.

Children's beautiful cape overcoats, 4 to 15—neat patterns, long cape $1.98 & 2.50.—Gidding's.

A fine line of china at L. E. Whary's, suitable for wedding gifts.

A good child's suit at Gross' $1.00 Reading pants at $1.50 at Gross'.

You'll be the loser if you fail to see the handsome Gold Plated Lamps at Mercer's, Main St., above Iron.

The place to buy the best candies is at Deitrick's, Market Square.

Don't fail to visit Gidding & Co's. clothing establishment this coming week, values will be exceptional in every department of their big store.—Gidding's.

In order to make room for holiday goods, Hess Bros., jewelers, will close out their line of sterling silver and gold plated blouse sets, belts, necklaces, stick pins, earrings, lace pins and hair pins at one-third to one-half their former price, regardless of cost. Special inducements on all other goods.

Men's, boys' and children's pants at way down prices at Gross, the clothier.

Meals at all hours at the Grand Restaurant.

Hats and caps, trunks and underwear in great variety can be found at Gross'.

For a Shave or Hair Cut.

For a good and quick shave or hair cut, go to James Reilly's tonsorial room in Exchange Block, first floor, next to Express Office. None but experienced workmen employed.

12-13-1yr.

Private dining rooms for ladies and gentlemen, at the Grand Restaurant.

"Why is it," said a customer, "that Gross sells clothing so much cheaper than his competitors." Ladies and gentlemen, the reason is he is the only one in this city in his line that buys for cash, and cash buying means low prices to the consumer.

Watch Mercer's exhibit at the Fair Grounds, of the finest line of lamps that human eyes ever gazed upon. The celebrated Miller Gold Plated Lamps, beautiful beyond comparison. Hall Lamps, parlor lamps, all kinds of lamps, on the Fair ground, watch for Mercer's display.

Gross' always has been and always will be the best and cheapest store to buy clothing in Bloomsburg.

Our hat and furnishing departments are complete with every new and staple article that is popular this season.—Gidding's.

Finest line of lamps ever brought to the city, comprising the Celebrated Miller Gold Plated Lamps. Drop in and see them, at Mercer's, opposite Episcopal Chnrch.

Special Sale on gum drops 6c. a lb. and chocolate cream drops 14c. a lb. at I. G. Deitrick's.

Visit Gidding's trunk and valise department if you want to see a large and complete assortment of these goods and at exceptionally low prices.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

WOMEN'S COATS AND CAPES.

No matter towards what style your taste may incline, that style must be in this complete stock, and at a lower price than you thought possible.

COATS of boucle shield front, newest shape sleeve, back and collar, ½ silk lined, $5.00.

COATS of fine kersey, cloth, buttoned high at neck, inlaid velvet collar, ½ satin lined, $7.50.

COATS of heavy French boucle, full satin lined, newest sleeve, 2 button front, $10.00.

COATS of kersey, full taffeta silk lining, newest sleeve, new shield front, handsome buttons, $10.00.

CAPES.

Double cape of boucle, fur trimmed, $4.89.

CAPES of black kersey, cloth trimmed, inlaid velvet collar, $6.00.

CAPES of plush, full lined and interlined, braid and jet trimmed at $5.00.

DRESS GOODS.

All those dependable kinds Newest effects, all at prices the lowest. Values were never more in the buyer's favor than they are to day:

38 in. all wool novelties, 39c. yd.

50 in. all wool mixed suitings, 50c. the yd.

BLACK DRESS GOODS.

Never before have we shown such a collection of black dress materials, and at prices the lowest we have ever known.

Fine figured solid suitings, 75c. yd.

50 in. black serge, 50c. yd.

44 in. black figured mohair, 50c. yd.

50 in. black Sicilian mohair, 39c. yd.

KID GLOVES.

Why, of course you want perfect fitting kid gloves, good wearing gloves, stylish gloves. We say try our ONE DOLLAR KID GLOVES, in buttons and hooks.

UNDERWEAR.

Those good warm keeping garments you so desire are here for little money.

Ladies' vests and pants, 22c.

Ladies' combination suits, 50c. and upwards.

Try the 75c. union suits.

Misses' union suits, 50c.

Goods Sold for Cash—One Price, the Lowest.

H. J. CLARK & SON.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

MARKET SQUARE DRY GOODS HOUSE.

Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, for years have been the big days at the County Fair.

And those are the days we expect to sell more Capes, Coats and Dress Goods than any others of the week.

We shall offer special inducements, and special care to supply the country people and others with an extra line of

FUR, PLUSH and CLOTH CAPES,

Also to fit them with a nice Jacket. Bring the daughter and have her fitted up to style with a coat.

The dress patterns and goods by the yard are selling well this fall.

Our new department is convenient for the sale of curtains in lace, chenille and others.

We shall be ready for a rush in all departments of our store. Kid gloves are good sellers this season of the year. We have them, 69c. to $1.50.

I. W. HARTMAN & SON.

HESS BROTHERS

Beg leave to quote you the following

Hard Times Cash Prices:

Triple-Plate Silver Knives and Forks, $2.25 Up, Per Doz.
Tea Spoons, 25c. Up, Per Set of Six.
Table Spoons, 50c. Up, Per Set of Six.
Other goods in same proportion.

WE STILL HAVE SOME OF THE

...SOLID SILVER THIMBLES...

THAT WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR 15c. EACH.

HESS BROS.,

Jewelers, Opticians and Stationers. Bloomsburg, Pa.

SPECIAL SALE.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Chocolate Creams, 14c. a pound.

Gum Drops, 6c. a pound.

THESE ARE STRICTLY FRESH GOODS.

I. G. DEITRICK,

Market Square

TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

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Abundant provision has been made to provide for the crowds that will visit Bloomsburg during fair week, at the Grand Restaurant.

..UNDERTAKING..

W. C. WALL,

..Undertaker..

and Funeral Director.

Embalming done by the latest improved methods. Special attention given to all the details of the funeral. Carriages provided, &c.

A competent lady assistant. Calls during the day can be left at the Leader Store, and night calls at the boarding house of Mrs. Blosser, corner of Market and Third Streets.

TELEPHONE CONNECTION.

SHE GOES BAREFOOTED.

Pretty Saidee Bourgoin Says the Treatment Cured Her of Insomnia.

If persons continue to find benefit in the Father Kneipp barefoot cure the shoe manufacturers will have cause for complaint. Extremists follow it winter and summer, but pretty girls indulge the craze only when the dew is on the grass, and the toad is in the pool. Last spring and all during the hot weather those actresses who were not wearing diamonds in Europe, were treading the green sward of the public parks in New York. Saidee Bourgoin who plays in Rob Roy became a leader. She says: "When Father Kneipp's cure was given to the public I was disposed to laugh at it. Just think how it struck me! I pictured a young woman walking around in the damp grass with her skirts drawn above her ankles, and it seemed to me a huge joke.

SAIDEE BOURGOIN.

"After I had seen and heard more of the cure, I found myself longing for a real good opportunity to try it. Well, the chance came. I was out walking in the Park in the evening with some friends, and one of the ladies suggested that it was hot enough to try most anything that had a tendency to cool one off. In a very short time three women were experimenting on the lawn. The grass was long and soft, and felt like plush to our feet. There was just enough earth moisture to keep it cool. We had soon covered several blocks of territory, and found the result satisfactory. Indeed, it was simply delightful.

"That night I went to sleep the moment my head struck the pillow. I had been troubled with insomnia for some time, and when I awakened in the morning and found that I had had a good night of uninterrupted rest, I confess I felt disposed to attribute it to the Kneipp cure."

COW DUG OUT OF HAIL.

Terrible Visitation Upon the Susquehanna Valley.

When hailstones bury a cow so that farmers have to shovel her out, the occurrence is so uncommon even in the valley of the Susquehanna that a correspondent there rightly considers it a piece of news. And when he accompanies the story with a double-barreled cross-my-heart-hope-to-die reiteration of its truth, the event is sure to attract more than ordinary notice.

Consider the attending circumstances. "It was one of the most destructive storms of the kind ever known in this section," he writes, and it must have been, for he adds, "one barn was blown down and another was moved from its foundations." This startling phenomena, to be sure, took the correspondent's attention for a moment from the refrigerated cow, but soon the horrors of the situation return, and the faithful chronicler continues: "Three days after the storm farmers gathered hail and froze ice cream, and there were several wagon loads on one farm a week after the storm. The hailstones formed themselves into lumps, weighing from one to three pounds."

As corroborative evidence that the cow was dug out of her cover of hail, it may be added that "fields of grain were laid as flat as though a heavy roller had been used over them. In one piece of woods trees were blown down by the score, and the bark was peeled clean from trees and shrubs" on the side next to the storm. The account must be believed. Nor would it cause surprise to hear that the Icelandic blast had made a mooley of every cow in the beautiful Susquehanna valley. And as for the smaller farm animals, it is sad to reflect upon what a storm that could bury a cow with hailstones must have done to the poor pigs caught between trough and sty.

WHEN JASPER GOES TO SLEEP.

I knows he ain't so speedy, sah,
He's lookin' kind o' posh,
But den he's putty lively, an
He'll go er mile er more;
But dat dere beast is good as gole,
He's knowin', sah, an' deep,
But den yo' can't do nuffin', sah,
When Jasper goes ter sleep.

Yo' kin pull an' tug him all aroun',
An' whip him all yo' please,
Yo' kin slash him hahd across de nose,
An' cut him 'roun' de knees;
He'll have his nap an' have it out,
An' not er step he'll creep,
An' yo got ter be a patient man
When Jasper goes ter sleep.

JEAN C. HAYES.

76 YEARS OLD AND VIGOROUS

A Veteran of the Late War Adds One More Name to the List of Striking Cures by Pink Pills in Michigan.

AN OLD-FASHIONED, LARGE FAMILY OF THIRTEEN CHILDREN.

From the Courier-Herald, Saginaw, Mich.

A few years ago a wave of La Grippe swept over the land and brought thousands of its victims to the grave. Others who escaped the fate lived on in sorrow and suffering, broken in health and spirit.

Terrible as was the disease, its after effects were yet more appalling, as it sought out the weaknesses of the constitution and left thousands shattered wrecks of their former selves. A few days ago a *Courier-Herald* representative, while at the thriving little town of Akron, Mich., met John L. Smith, a veteran of the industrial army, on whose aged head the disease had fallen, and he heard him tell how he had suffered and what had given him relief.

We can do no better than quote his own words, which are as follows: "About seven years ago I was taken down with the 'Grip,' and it fastened on me very hard. For about half the winter I was so bad that I could not leave the house. I was chilly all the time, and could not get warm. I felt as if I was frozen solid, and could only breathe with great difficulty.

"This condition alternated with sweating spells of great violence. There was an almost continuous pain, and it would shoot from one part of my body to another, with great suddenness, and cause me intense suffering. Sometimes it was in my hips, then in my legs, and again it would go to my head and pain me in the eyes. It was so intense that it even affected my sight.

"I called in medical assistance, but this was fruitless, as I received no benefit from physicians. From then on I tried various preparations that were recommended to me, but they did me no good, and my condition was as bad and painful as it was before I tried them.

"Finally, I saw an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I read with much interest of the wonderful cures that they had effected in so many cases. I had tried so many proprietary preparations that I had no faith in it, but tried it, as I had so many other things, to see if they were of any use.

"One day when I was feeling as bad as usual, I got a box of Pink Pills, and shortly before going to bed I took one pill. I cannot tell you what a surprised man I was next morning. Then I put on my shoes with ease, a thing that I had not done for forty years. A little while after this I was so well that I drove to Bay City, Michigan, a distance of twenty-three miles, and was not at all tired when I got there.

"I am now seventy-six years of age and unusually active for a man of my years. I work on my forty-acre farm and experience no trouble from the work. I want to say a good word for Pink Pills, as they helped me where all else did no good whatever. Since my illness and cure a number of my neighbors have used them, and say that they have been greatly benefited."

Mrs. Smith, the veteran's wife, who sat near by, confirmed the words that her husband had spoken and added her testimony to the good that the pills had been to the family. The worthy couple are old and respected residents of Tuscola County, where they have lived for thirty years. Mr. Smith is a sturdy pioneer, and cleared up a 200-acre farm near Akron. He yet lives there, surrounded by twelve of his thirteen children. Thanks to Pink Pills, he has a prospect of many years of usefulness.

Another sufferer with the same malady was Neil Raymond, a prosperous and leading farmer, residing near Columbiaville, Lapeer Co., Michigan. Speaking to a representative of *The Courier-Herald*, Mr. Raymond said: "Three years ago last June, one night I suffered an attack of paralysis, brought on, I think, by overwork and as an after effect of la grippe. After a week my condition was so bad that I summoned a physician and doctored for about six months, with but little relief. For some time I had seen in the papers reported cures of cases similar to mine effected by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and thought I would try them. I bought a box and continued their use with good results. I soon began to gain in strength and health and felt the good effect of the Pills.

"They were the first things that had been able to give me relief. They have been of great benefit to me and I can strongly recommend them to anyone suffering from paralysis."

The case of another veteran has come to the attention of this paper and it is here given: When, in 1861, the fate of our Union hung trembling in the balance, and President Lincoln issued his famous call for volunteers to go to the front and fight for its preservation, an immediate response swept over the North like a tidal wave, and regiment after regiment of brave boys in blue quickly sprang up from every quarter. Unmindful of the privations of a soldier's life, and the horrors of war, they shouldered their muskets and marched to the front to battle for their country.

Among the first to answer the call was E. G. Matthews, who enlisted as a member of Company D, 103d Ohio Infantry, and who fought bravely until the close of the great struggle. Mr. Matthews now lives with his wife and family of six children and grandchildren on his farm near Akron, Tuscola County, Michigan. While in the ranks he contracted inflammatory rheumatism and this developed into a trouble that remained with him for over thirty years. He finally became cured of it and to a representative of the *Courier-Herald* he spoke of his case as follows:

"During the late war I was a member of Company D, 103d Ohio Infantry, and performed all the duties incident to a soldier's life from 1862 to 1865. While at the front owing to the privations of our soldier life, I contracted inflammatory rheumatism, and this finally developed into a permanent form of rheumatism, that has always troubled me since that time. When I was mustered out in 1865 I went back to Ohio to the place where I enlisted and was laid up there in bed for 12 weeks. I then got out for a short time and was again laid up for a long spell. Since then I have been a victim of these attacks and they have laid me up for much of the time.

"My case was also complicated by severe kidney troubles and other diseases that baffled the best medical skill. I have tried many physicians and also proprietary articles of all kinds that were said to be good for such troubles as mine. In my search for health I spent hundreds of dollars, but it seemed to be all in vain, and nothing seemed to reach my trouble and give me relief. About a year ago a friend advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and although I had no faith in them, I bought a box and began to take them. After I had begun on the third box a great change in my condition began to appear, and my trouble for over thirty years' standing began to be cured. I took four boxes more and then felt so well that I discontinued their use.

"I am now able to work on my farm and have no fear of the old trouble coming back as long as I can get a box of Pink Pills. My case was a particularly deep seated one, of long standing, and so I want to let others who are afflicted as I was, know the benefit that these Pink Pills for Pale People have been to me."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are now given to the public as an unfailing blood builder and nerve restorer, curing all forms of weakness arising from a watery condition of the blood or shattered nerves. The pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post paid on receipt of price, 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50, (they are never sold in bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

The Disasters in Japan.

Owing to the vast amount of interest taken in the big conflagration and flood at Kobe, Japan, the American house of foreign missions has given the following description of the missionary field in that city: Kobe, Japan, which has been nearly wiped out by a conflagration and by floods and storms and earthquakes, is the fifth city of Japan. It is situated on the northern shore of Izumi bay. It was first opened for foreign trade in January, 1868. Under the stimulus of its foreign trade this petty town grew rapidly and at length absorbed its rival, Hyogo. Its population is 153,280. As a center of foreign trade Kobe ranks next to Yokohama. The amount of the exports and imports for 1894 was $86,348,616. The first missionaries of the American board in Japan took up their residence in Kobe, March 31, 1870. The first church was organized in April, 1874. The present field of Kobe station 1 independent and 13 Kumiai churches, with a membership of 2,500.

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It is said the coming national campaign will be a "buggy affair." The 16 to 1 men are silver bugs; the Prohibitionists are water bugs; the women suffragists are lady bugs; the sound money men are gold bugs, and the mugwumps are humbugs.

Look Out for the Voice.

You often hear boys and girls say words when they are vexed that sound as if made up of a snarl, a whine and a bark. Such a voice often expresses more than the heart feels. Often even in mirth one gets a voice or tone that is sharp, and it sticks to him through life. Such persons get a sharp voice for home use and keep their best voice for those they meet elsewhere. I say to all boys and girls, "Use your best voice at home. Watch it day by day as a pearl of great price, for it will be worth more to you than the best pearl in the sea. A kind voice is a lark's song to a heart and home. Train it to sweet tones now and it will keep in tune through life."

The Way it was Put.

"I presume" said the magistrate, "that you gave the prisoner some occasion to strike you?"

"Why, your Honor, we were talking about the coinage, and he made some statement that called me to remark that he had been misled and was arguing from wrong premises, and then he struck me."

"Is that what he said to you, prisoner?"

"Yes, that is the substance of it, your Honor, but not the language. What he said was that I didn't know enough to pound sand in a rat hole, and was talking through my hat like a jackass full of thistles and bull nettles."

Every year a layer of the sea, fourteen feet thick, is taken up into the clouds. The winds bear their burden into the land and the water comes down in rain upon the fields to flow back through rivers.

A Scranton constable tried to kill himself by swallowing a dose of laudanum, and when the physicians inserted a stomach pump he was consumed with fear that they would choke him to death.

Gold Bug Story.

The Rev. Tom Dixon, in his sermon at the Academy of Music, New York, said that Mr. Bryan and his followers proposed to permit him to pay $1,000 he had borrowed with $500. A man in the congregation promptly called the preacher a liar. The lie is not original with the Rev. Tom Dixon. It has been one of the stock arguments of Republican platform orators since the campaign opened. Charity may go so far as to say that probably the Rev. Tom Dixon had no intention of lying, but simply repeated, without due consideration, that which he had heard some deceiving or misleading person state. When charity feels like stretching itself it can cover a good deal. However, now that the preacher's attention has been directed to the falsity of the statement he owes it to his congregation to look into the matter and set himself right. For the benefit of others who have not investigated, but have believed in the lie that the gold bug campaigners have told and still persist in sticking to, let us say that the Democratic national platform of 1896 adopted at Chicago, demands that the standard silver dollar, coined at the legal ratio of 16 to 1, "shall be a full legal tender equally with gold for all debts, public and private."

There is not, and never can be, a 50 cent or a 53 cent dollar in the country. The value of money is fixed by law. The word "one dollar" on a piece of silver means the same as the identical words on a piece of gold, and the silver coin will buy just as much as the gold coin, regardless of the market price of bullion. Uncle Sam places no false stamps upon his money. The silver dollar is more honest than the gold dollar.—*Ex.*

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Medals From Li.

Engineer Benjamin Mitchell, 1811 North Sixth Street, and Conductor Leonard Grubb, 317 Chestnut Street, Harrisburg, have received silver medals from Li Hung Chang, the Chinese statesman. They had charge of the special train between Harrisburg and Elmira that carried Li to Niagara and he was so pleased that he remembered them. The medals are inscribed in Chinese with the inevitable dragon and are attached to peacock blue ribbon.

Du Maurier, who died Oct. 8th, was one of the few men who achieved equal seccess in art and in literature. As a cartoonist he became famous before he wielded the pen, though he had only one set of faces for all his pictures in "Punch." His novel, "Trilby," was and is one of the best known of books, though not likely to be long lived. But he pleased his public and deserved his popularity. His death will be sincerely mourned.

The Benton *Argus* says: "The old settlers of the mountain predict a long, cold winter. The fur of rabbits and minks is thicker than usual; the corn husks are double; the nut crop is an enormous one; the squirrels have begun to lay in stores of acorns. All these are said to be infallible signs of cold weather.

One of the features of the gathering of Democratic Clubs at St. Louis, Oct. 3 was a chorus of 800 voices, who sang campaign and patriotic songs.

Premature baldness may be prevented and the hair made to grow on heads already bald, by the use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

An industry has been started in California which consists of making sugar from the sap of the sugar pine tree. The sugar is said to be exceptionally fine.

Charles W. Krick, the wheelman who took several prizes at the Bloomsburg race meet last month, has won 41 diamonds, worth $1500 as racing prizes this year.

Having fallen asleep on the railroad at Hazleton on Friday, John Dugan, of Mahanoy City, was beheaded by car wheels.

A New York girl died whose heart was on the wrong side. There is a scarcity of hearts on the right side, and two many on the wrong side.

A party of cyclists attempted to discover a gold mine in Solebury township, Bucks County, and ran into a den of about 100 blacksnakes. No one was injured.

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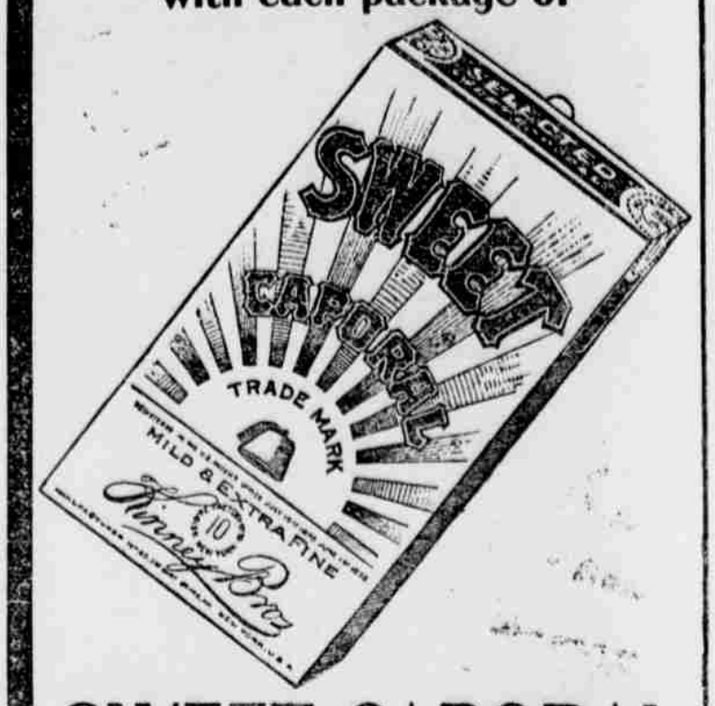

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The Saucy Little Wretch.

A story is told by Mrs. Elizabeth Akers Allen, the author of "Rock Me to Sleep, Mother." "The words had been set to music long before I ever heard them sung," she says. "One day on the street I was electrified by hearing a small gamin warbling most musically the words of my poem. I stopped short and looked at him. He was in the midst of 'no other worship abides and endures,' but he broke his tuneful notes off short as he saw me and growled: 'What in—— are you a-starin' at?'"

State Treasurer Hapgood is paying out the state appropriation to the public schools at the rate of $100,000 a week. He has distributed $2,000,000 since June, leaving a balance of $3,500,000 to be paid. At this rate many of the districts will not receive their share of the fund until late in the winter. The amount of the weekly distribution will not be increased until after the election.

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FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR,
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AMERICAN GIRL'S HIGH HONORS.

Mary F. Winston a Doctor of Philosophy Cottingham University.

Another American woman has invaded the exclusive and conservative universities of Germany, and carried away the highest honors. A cablegram has been received by the parents of Miss Mary F. Winston, residing at No. 6109 Monroe avenue, Chicago, that their daughter had passed the examination for the degree of doctor of philosophy at the Gottingen University, magna sum laude. Miss Winston's subject for the degree was in mathematics, which fact makes the distinction conferred the more remarkable. She is the third American woman who has been admitted to any German university, and the second to receive the doctor's degree.

Miss Winston has many friends at the University of Chicago, where she was a fellow in mathematics during the scholastic year of 1892-93. Miss Winston comes from a family of scholars, and has two brothers and two sisters in the university at the present time. Her younger brother has achieved fame in athletics as well as in scholarship, and has been the crack third baseman on the 'varsity baseball team for two years.

Mary F. Winston.

The recipient of the high honors at the hands of the Gottingen faculty has had a remarkable success in her collegiate career. She graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1891 with high honors in mathematics and was offered a fellowship at Bryn Mawr College the same year. After studying a year at the University of Chicago, she was awarded the private fellowship of Mrs. Fabian Franklyn, of Baltimore, and immediately entered the University of Gottingen. From the very start she made rapid strides toward recognition, and last year Miss Winston held the foreign fellowship of the Association of Collegiate Alumnae. She flet Germany for home August 13, and expects to arrive in Chicago about September 1.

Baby Card Etiquette.

It is satisfactory to know that there has been a reform in the style of "baby cards." When the scion of the house of Watkins arrives it is not necessary to place anything more on the card than the baby's name—as soon as he has one. This card is attached to the parents' card by a bow of narrow white satin ribbon or silver cord. When the baby's name has been announced there is nothing else to be placed on the card. It was the custom to give the young gentleman's weight—usually the lying figures of ten pounds, or even fifteen pounds, when the father thought it would look better. There have been baby cards containing a biography of the parents, a dozen branches of the genealogical tree, and sometimes where the father worked and how much salary he received. But all this is regarded as superfluous nowadays. It simplifies the composition of the inscription and saves printer's ink.

Hints About Jewelry.

One of the newest hair ornaments is a bird set on a flexible mount and which sways with every movement of the wearer. Another is an exact imitation of the tail of a lyre bird.

A lovely necklace of three rows of pearls is caught together at intervals with swallows incrusted with diamonds. In their beaks they hold pear-shaped pearls and their eyes are of rubies.

A bracelet for a lady bicyclist consists of a curb chain, in the middle of which is a powerful whistle set with the nozzle upward, so that the wearer is enabled to use it without detaching the chain from the wrist. These are made in gold and silver.

The Ruling Passion.

The latest effort of the modiste is known as the "speaking" gown, but as far as can be learned the name does not imply either hidden mechanism or any fresh achievement on the part of the magician. The prosaic truth, stated in prosaic English, reveals only the fact that the dressmaker who prepares her patron for the platform has a doubly difficult task. Women who make up audiences have not ceased, as yet, to indulge in criticisms concerning the costume of the lecturer; and, as the gown in question is liable to be under inspection for a considerable period of time, it behooves the artist to make it ideally perfect, that both it and she may endure the ordeal.

A Hint for the Laundry.

Never let the laundress, in her commendable desire to give a gloss to table linen, starch it. To produce a high, satiny polish on damask it should first be thoroughly dampened and then ironed with a heavy flatiron until it is absolutely dry. Tablecloths and napkins should never leave the ironing board in a limp condition. If they are at all moist, they will not only look dull and lustreless in the beginning, but they will soon lose the shape and trimness without which they are untidy and slovenly looking, says an exchange.

For Summer Freckles.

A preparation for summer freckles, recommended by a celebrated physician, follows: Borax, 15 grains; lemon juice, 1 oz.; sugar candy, ½ drm. Mix the powders with the juice and let them stand in the bottle, shaking occasionally until quite dissolved. Touch the spots with this lotion.

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J. D. Thurber, of East Aurora, N. Y., recently purchased for 50 cents a cent bearing the date of 1804 from a farmer near this village, who had plowed up the coin. He wrote to a Boston collecting firm to ascertain its value, and received a reply a few days ago stating that it was worth $1,200 if in a good state of preservation. There is but one other such coin known to be in existence. On one side is a head, with the word "Liberty" in the margin over it, and under it is the date 1804.

The remarkable number of cures of gout and rheumatism which have followed the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, point conclusively to the fact that this remedy comes nearer being the specific for complaints of this nature than any other medicine in pharmacy.

Unconscious Humor.

It is not always safe to resort to set phrases when wishing to compliment.

A story is told of a certain lawyer, extremely studious, but in conversation notoriously dull, who was showing off his newly built house. The bookworm prided himself especially on a sanctum he had contrived for his own use, so secluded from the rest of the building that he could pour over his books in private, quite secure from disturbance.

"And this is capital," exclaimed the visitor with unconscious irony. "You can read and study here all day, and no human being be one bit the wiser."

ORPHANS' COURT SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

In pursuance of an order of the Orphans Court of Columbia county, Penna., the undersigned administrator cum testamento annexo of Susan B. Funston will sell at public sale on the premises on

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 1896,

at 1 o'clock, p. m., of said day, the following described valuable real estate, to-wit: All that certain piece and parcel of ground situate in the town of Bloomsburg, county of Columbia and state of Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by Ridge alley; on the east by lot of Mrs. Amos Buckalew; on the south by Second street, and on the west by lot of George W. Corell, being 25 feet more or less in front on Second street and extending back to Ridge alley aforesaid, a depth of 212 feet more or less, whereon is erected a two story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

and outbuildings. The purchaser or purchasers of the above described property will acquire thereunder the full and free liberty of joining to the building on the west side as well below as above the surface of the ground and along the whole length of said building which they or any of them may decide or have occasion to erect on the said lot along the division line aforesaid, and to use and enjoy the said wall or any part thereof as a wall of the building or buildings so to be erected and to suit the joists of such building or buildings into the wall aforesaid to such a depth as may be necessary for strength and permanance same as was reserved to Mary B. Furman et al., by George W. Corell and Joseph Corell under articles of agreement dated the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1867.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, fifteen per cent. at the confirmation of sale, and the remaining three-fourths in one year from said sale, together with interest thereon from confirmation nisi. Purchaser to pay for deed. Purchaser will be required to give bond with good and approved security for the faithful payment of the purchase money according to the above conditions.

JOHN Q. BARKLEY,
Administrator c. t. a.

L. S. WINTERSTEEN, Atty.
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PUBLIC SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, Pennsylvania, will be sold at public sale in said county, the following described real estate, late of Jeremiah Hess, deceased, to-wit:

Purparts Nos. 1 and 2 will be sold at the house on extension of Third street, in Town of Bloomsburg, on

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1896,

at 2 o'clock p. m.

Nos. 3, 4 and 5, on the farm in Orange township, the following day,

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1896,

at 2 o'clock p. m.

Purpart No. 1.—All that certain house and lot situate on the extension of Third street, in the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at the north-east corner of east Third street and the first alley west of Wood street; thence eastwardly along line of east Third street fifty feet to lot of Patrick Markham; thence northwardly along the same 138½ feet, more or less to an alley; thence northwardly along said alley 50 feet to first named alley; thence southwardly along the same 138½ feet, more or less to the place of beginning. Whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE

nearly new, with modern improvements, located near the State Normal School.

Purpart No. 2.—All that certain lot of ground situate near Neals' old furnace, near the Town of Bloomsburg, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a corner of lot of A. A. Jacoby, in the Centre road, and running thence northwardly 25 and 5 perches along said Jacoby's land to land of McKelvy & Neal; thence eastwardly by the same 280 feet to a post; thence southwardly by lands of the said Jos. W. Hendershott, 25 5-10 perches to the centre of said centre road, and thence westwardly in the centre of the road 280 feet to the place of beginning, containing

2 ACRES of land,

be the same more or less. Said lot is one of the series sold from Hendershott's farm and is in a high state of cultivation, and very valuable on account of its location.

Purpart No. 3.—All that certain messuage or piece of land situate in the township of Fishingcreek, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a white oak, thence by land of William Evans south 60 degrees east 34 2-10 perches to a post; thence by land of Daniel Bogart south 37½ degrees west 52 7-10 perches to a maple gone; thence by other land of said Thomas Lunger, north 21½ degrees west 51 5-10 perches to a post; thence by land of William Evans, north 79 degrees east 30 7-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing

8 ACRES,

and 126 perches of land, strict measure, more or less. Said land is cleared and in good farming condition.

Purpart No 4.—All that certain tract of timber land situate in Orange township, on the north side of the Knob Mountain, along the B. & S. R. R., bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stone in line of land late of Joseph Pohe, and running thence by the same south 68 degrees west 83 6-10 perches; thence by land of David Achenbach, south 88 degrees west 36 perches to a Hemlock stump; thence by land of Mary Montgomery, south 74 degrees east 30 perches to a black oak sapling; thence by the same north 82½ degrees east 93 8-10 perches, more or less, to a chestnut; thence by land of Nathan Fleckenstine, north 13 degrees west 36 1-10 perches to the place of beginning, containing

12 ACRES,

and 21 perches, be the same more or less, on which there is an excellent never failing spring of water.

Purport No. 5.—A valuable farm situate in Orange township, about three miles from the village of Orangeville, on the road leading from Orangeville to Benton, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a stone in the line to land of John Achenbach; thence by land of Nathan Fleckenstine, north 18 degrees west 216 perches to a small pine in the line to land owned by John Lazarus; thence by the same south 89 degrees west 18 perches to a pine stump; thence by land owned by John Henry, south 29 1-2 degrees west 102 perches to a pine; thence by land of John Achenbach, south 25 degrees east 160 perches to a post; thence by the same north 67 degrees east 78 perches to the place of beginning, containing

97 ACRES,

and 149 perches, and allowance of six acres per centum more or less, on which is erected a good two-story

BRICK DWELLING HOUSE,

out kitchen, large bank barn with two threshing floors, straw shed over barn yard, wagon house, wood house, hog pen, corn cribs and other out-buildings. There is also a never failing well of water at the house, and one at the barn. An orchard of choice fruit. The land is of first-class quality, in a high state of cultivation and well fenced.

Conditions of sale will be made known on day of sale.

GEORGE W. HESS,
J. A. HESS,
Administrators,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

WM. H. SNYDER, Atty.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Peter A. Evans, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Peter A. Evans, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned executor, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

W. S. HOYER, Executor.
L. S. Winterstein, Atty. 9-24-6t.

EXECUTOR'S SALE
—OF VALUABLE—
REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned executors of Fannie Freas, late of the Borough of Berwick, in the county of Columbia, Pa., deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1896,

at ten o'clock a. m. of said day, all the following described real estate to-wit: All that messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the township of Briarcreek, county of Columbia and State of Penna., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone corner; thence by lands of Emmor Dietrick, south 86¾ degrees east, 42 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 74¾ degrees east 32 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 87½ degrees east 57 6-10 perches to a white oak; thence by the same south 11¼ degrees east 19 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 6¼ degrees east, 28 4-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of Hannah Sponenberger north 82 degrees east, 40 9-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of Eli Whitney north 7½ degrees east, 66 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by other lands of the estate of Henry Rittenhouse deceased, north 54¾ degrees west, 42 perches to a stone; thence by the same north 81 degrees west, 5 perches to a stone; thence by the same north 1 degree west, 88 8-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of the heirs of John Conner deceased, south 83 degrees west, 50 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by the same south 48¾ degrees west, 19 8-10 perches to a stone; thence by the same and lands of Levi Shaffer north 86 degrees west, 104 perches to a pine; thence by lands of Levi Shaffer and lands of Emmor Dietrick south 1¾ degrees west, 42 2-10 perches to a stone, the place of beginning, containing

100 ACRES and 32 perches of land,

neat measure, be the same more or less, whereon is erected a large two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

large bank barn, wagon shed, ice house, and other outbuildings. There is a good well of water at the house, and also one at barn. There is also a large orchard on the premises and a variety of choice fruit trees of all kinds. This is the old Henry Rittenhouse hill property and is situate about two and one-half miles west of Berwick on the creek road.

ALSO, at one o'clock p. m. of said day will be exposed to public sale on the premises in Briar-Creek township aforesaid, the following described valuable real estate to-wit: The undivided seven-ninths of all that piece, parcel and tract of land, situate in the said township of Briar Creek. Beginning at a pine knot in land of George Evans, thence by the same north 1¾ degrees west, 70½ perches to a stone; thence by land of Tobias Smith south 70¾ degrees west, 150 perches to a pine; thence by land of Abraham Ervine south 31¾ degrees east, 60½ perches to a hickory tree; thence by lands of Jacob Polk, north 75 degrees east, 132 perches to the place of beginning, containing

53 ACRES and 97 perches,

and allowance.

Also at the same time and place the said George W. Ash will expose the undivided two-ninths of said above described tract, the same to be sold as an entire property. This tract of land is well timbered with oak, yellow pine and hemlock timber, and is a very desirable piece of woodland.

Also at three o'clock p. m. of said day, will be exposed to public sale on the premises, all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land situate in the township of Briar Creek aforesaid, bounded and described as follows to-wit: Beginning at a stone in the centre of a public road leading from Evansville to Salem line; thence along centre of said public road north 8¾ degrees east 87 5-10 perches to a stone; thence north 7¼ degrees west, 225 perches to stones; thence south 87 degrees west, 87 7-10 perches to stones; thence south 7¼ degrees east, 232 perches to a stone, the place of beginning, containing

125 ACRES,

neat measure, whereon is erected a two-story

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

bank barn and out-buildings. About one hundred acres of this land is cleared and mostly in a good state of cultivation, the balance is reasonably well timbered with oak, pine and chestnut timber. There is a good well of water at the house, also one at barn. Also a lot of choice fruit on the premises.

TERMS OF SALE:—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, fifteen per cent. on the first day of January, 1897, and the balance in one year from the first day of January 1897, together with interest thereon from the first day of January 1897. Deed to be delivered to the purchaser upon receipt of purchase money. The purchaser or purchasers will be required to give bond with good and approved security for the faithful payment of the purchase money according to the above conditions.

GEORGE W. ASH, and
GEORGE W. ASH,
BRAD C. FREAS,
Executors of Fannie Freas, dec'd.
L. S. WINTERSTEEN, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Elias Schlicher, late of Beaver township deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Elias Schlicher, late of Beaver township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrator, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

J. W. SCHLICHER,
Administrator,
Mountain Grove, Pa.

Snyder, Atty.
10-8 6t*

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Israel Holstine, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Israel Holstine, late of Roaringcreek township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of Wills of Columbia county, Penna., to the undersigned, to whom all payments must be made and all claims presented.

WILLIAM HOLSTINE,
Executor,
Millgrove, Columbia Co., Pa.

Freeze & Harman, Attys.
10-8-6t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of John Wenner, late of Fishingcreek twp. deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Wenner, late of Fishingcreek township, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned administrators, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

MICHAEL WENNER,
J. M. WENNER,
ELIAS WENNER,
Administrators.

Chrisman, Atty.
10-1-6t.

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J. H. MAIZE,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE AGENT,
Office in Lockard's Building.
BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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Large and convenient sample rooms. Hot and cold water, and all modern conveniences. The hotel has been lately refurnished.

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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

A Pretty Church Affair.

A very pretty wedding took place at the First Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, the contracting parties being Miss Mary A. Riley and Charles Alexander Pollock of Hazleton, formerly of Bloomsburg. Miss Lucy B. Hershberger of Plymouth was maid of honor, and Oscar Wellington Ent of Bloomsburg was best man. The bridesmaids were Miss Sallie Potts Riley, Miss Elizabeth Matthew Riley and Miss Margaret Elsie Riley, all sisters of the bride. The ushers were Messrs. Augustus Stout Wade of Hazleton, Dr. Harry G. Maize of Germantown, Prof. G. Park Singer of Lock Haven, and Archie G. Nesbit of Hazleton. Miss Sarah H. Rothrick presided at the organ, and to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march the bridal party entered the church. Rev. Julius A. Herold, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony.

The wedding party then repaired to the home of the bride's father, 205 William street, where the reception was held, after which Mr. and Mrs. Pollock left on the Pennsylvania midnight train for a wedding trip, after which they will return to Hazleton to reside.—Williamsport *Gazette.*

Peirce School.

In our advertising columns is announcement of the famous Peirce School for its thirty-second year. This representative business school will be continued along the same educative lines laid down by its eminent founder, Doctor Thomas May Peirce, its principal for 31 years. Doctor Peirce was not only a teacher of rare ability, but an expert accountant, who ranked among the best. Every method he introduced was tested from the business side as well as the school side.

Dr. Peirce chose his teachers with great care. Each is a specialist in his work. The same faculty is engaged for the coming year that he selected for last year, the most prosperous in its successful career. Under the same management, in the same quarters, in the handsome Record Building, a successful continuance is confidently predicted.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your Grocer to day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. Children may drink it without injury as well as an adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. ¼ the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cts. per package. Sold by all grocers.

Young Woman Crushed to Death.

While Miss Mary Hoch watched her father cut a tree down, near his home, in Shamokin, last Friday evening, another tree, partially uprooted by the recent cyclone, was struck by the falling oak and toppled over, crushing the young woman to death.

To Find a Faith Curist's Status.

Dr. A. Hibler, censor of the Centre County Medical Society, has brought a suit against Rebecca Parry, a Christian Scientist, to ascertain whether such people have a right to practice in their method.

A Present for Your Pastor.

Your pastor would be delighted with a Clergyman's Case of Humphreys' Specifics; it is made to fit the pocket and contains the ten numbers most needed by a clergyman. Cures for Fevers, Coughs, Clergyman's Sore Throat, La Grippe, Catarrh, Brain Fag, Dyspepsia, Malaria, Kidney Diseases, etc. They are sent prepaid on receipt of price. $2.00. Humphreys' Medicine Company, New York.

During Fair—best photographs and crayons at M'Killip Bros. Over H. J. Clark & Son's store.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Billousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

U. J. Campbell, agent, vs. Jesse Rittenhouse. Judgment by consent for plaintiff for $30 and costs of suit.

The time for acknowledging Sheriff's deeds continued to 4 p. m., Friday, October 9th.

In re estate of George Eves, bond of administrator to sell real estate approved.

Report of auditor in assigned estates of Wm. Neal & Son and of Wm. Neal confirmed nisi.

In re estate of Geo. Farrell, decd., rule is granted to show cause why absolute confirmation of auditor's report should not be stricken off and exceptions permitted to be filed, returnable November 2.

The jury in the case of Catharine Frey vs. the S. H. & W. R. R. Co., for damages by reason of the burning of her property, caused by sparks from the engine, returned a verdict of $400 for the plaintiff.

The case of Bridget McLean vs. the Conyngham School District to recover a certain sum of money which she claims is due her as a teacher in said district, resulted in a verdict for plaintiff for $65 a month for five months.

Campaign Marching Clubs.

Members of McKinley clubs and Bryan clubs be sure to get from your druggist or shoe dealer before you march a package of Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet, and shake it into your shoes. It instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions and prevents blisters and swollen, aching feet. Allen's Foot-Ease makes marching a delight. We have over 10,000 testimonials. All druggists and shoe stores. Sample sent FREE. Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y.

Pickpockets, it is said, were very plenty at the Milton fair last week. Several Bloomsburgers were relieved of a considerable amount of money.

A Desirable Business Place For Sale.

The large three story brick store building lately occupied by J. R. Schuyler & Co., as a hardware store for sale on reasonable terms by J. H. Maize Esq., Attorney. Office Lockard building corner Main and Centre streets. tf.

Real good property in Espy for sale cheap. It is a desirable residence, large lot, and plenty of fruit. Apply to J. H. Maize Esq.

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A desirable house and lot. Corner lot about 50 x 80 feet, beautiful location, all modern improvements; will be sold at once. Cheap for cash, or part down and balance to suit the purchaser; or part in exchange for other property.

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Window curtains of all kinds; Room and picture moulding always in stock.

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With the rush of fall trade. New and complete stocks of popular goods at popular prices are bound to create business, and we welcome the public to our store.

Ladies' Capes.

Newest styles in cloth and plush capes, and not the least attractive features are the prices, not such as you are expected to pay in the swell head stores who cater to the trade of millionaires, but prices within the reach of the humblest in the land. Come and see them. Capes from $1.00 to $10.00 each. Ladies' jackets @ $2.98, $3.50, $3.75 to $12.50.

Umbrellas.

Good school umbrellas, 48c each. Good 28 in. umbrellas with metal trimmed handle, 85c. each. Ladies' 26 in. silk umbrellas with twisted celluloid handles, $1.39 each. Gents' twilled silk, 28 in. umbrellas, $1.48 each.

Those Little Things

Are looked after at this store with as careful regard for our customer's interests as the more prominent lines. We respectfully call your attention to the following: fast black mending cotton, 8c. doz. cords.

Best saxony wool, all colors, 8c ounce.
Embroidery hoops, 4c pair.
Plu-h balls, all colors, 8c doz.
Embroidery silk, all colors, 8c doz.
New style belts, 10c, 19c, 24c each.
Gent's favorite garters, 10c pr.
Combs, 2c, 4c, 8c, 10c, 16c ea.
Hair brushes, 9c, 10c, 15c, 20c 28c each.
Cloth brushes, 7c, 16c, 20c ea.
Shoe brushes, 10c, 16c, 21c ea.
Fancy wool dusters, 10c ea.
White framed mirrors, 7c, 15c, 17c each.
Oak framed mirrors, 24c each.
Feather dusters, 21c each.
Tam Oshanters, 24c, 40c and 45c each.
New line of men's suspenders @ 8c, 10c, 12½c, 19c and 24c pair.
Side combs, 3c, 4c, 5c, 8c, 10c pair.
Shell hair pins, 4c and 10c doz.
Aluminum hair pins, 8c, 16c and 24c doz.
Coque feather boas, 19c each.
Spring hooks and eyes, 2c card
Darning needles, 2c paper.
Crochet needles, bone or steel, 2c. each.
Tubular shoe lacers, 1c pair.
Teachers' Oxford Bibles, with concordance, $1.00 each.
Infant's knit sacques, 24c, 25c and 34c each.
Crochet cotton, 1c and 4c ball.
Black darning cotton, 2c ball.
Bone collar buttons, 2c each.
Cocoa castile soap, 2c cake.
Buttermilk soap, 10c box.
Shoe polish, 10c bottle.
Rubber balls, 2c each.
Lamp burners, 4c and 6c each.
Lamp chimneys, 5c ea. 6 for 25c.
Glass salt shakers, 4c each.
See our new line of grips, telescopes and satchels.
Grips from 34c, 37c, 39c, 42c to 95c each.
Telescopes, 50c, 70c, 90c to $1.10.
Satchels, 29c, 39c, 49c, 59c, 69c 79c each.
Mustard spoons, 1c each.
Potato mashers, 2c each.
Egg whips, 2c each.
Pudding pans, 3c, 4c, 5c each.
Agents for Butterick Patterns. Ask for new fashion sheet.

THE BROADWAY CASH STORE,

Moyer's New Building, Main Street,

BLOOMSBURG.

JONAS LONG'S SONS' WEEKLY CHATS.

WILKES-BARRE, PA.,

October 15, 1896.

After all is said in an advertisement that can be conceived by the fertile brain of the business man, the matter comes down to one issue—that of low price, combined with good quality. Right in the beginning of the season we begin a colossal sale of new fresh merchandise, with prices that will fit the times; in fact, even lower than you expect to pay for this class of goods. All mail orders will be executed if received within one week from date at these prices. Here's an opportunity seldom offered. You know our reputation for close selling; these cuts ontrival anything we've before attempted For one week we sell:

White Shaker Flannel, the 6c. quality at 3¾c.

6c. Unbleached Canton Flannel at 4c.

Yard wide Unbleached Muslin at 5c.

Standard Apron Ginghams at 4c.

Dark Dress Ginghams at 4½c.

9-4 Unbleached Sheeting, good quality at 12½c.

Silkaline Comfortables filled with pure white cotton at 98c.

All wool Flannel Skirts, regular price 75c., this week 49c.

58-inch Loom Table Damask, worth 36c., at 29c.

54-inch Turkey Red Damask, regular 16c. and 18c. quality, at 12½c.

La Favorite Corset in white and drab during this sale will be 50c.

Special lot of Velvet Carpets, worth $1.05, will be closed out at 75c.

Special lot of Body Brussels, worth $1.10, will be closed out at 75c.

Special lot of Cordova Brussels will be closed out at 65c.

Special lot of all wool Ingrain Carpets, worth 65c., will be closed at 50.

36-inch Figured Silkaline for curtains 9c. per yard.

Plain Silkaline per yard 8c.

38-inch Figured Scrim per yard 4¼c.

36-inch Curtain Swiss, striped effects and coin spots the yard 15c.

A decided bargain is a lot of men's navy blue Flannel Shirts with shield fronts, double over shoulder and back really worth $1.50 while the lot lasts we will sell them at 98c.

Men's Canton Flannel Drawers with reinforced seats, extra well made, this week only 25c.

Men's natural grey Griffin Underwear, equal to any sold at 15c., will be sold at the piece 50c.

Boy's Clothing will be sold this week at ruinously little prices.

Boy's extra heavy wool suits, dark patterns, strong and well made, sizes 4 to 15, actual value $2.50, reduced for this week to $1.29.

Boy's Suits, very heavy, in grey, brown and dark colors, all sizes, worth $4.00, for this week only $1.98.

Boy's extra heavy blue reefers warm school Jackets, with velvet collar, well worth $2.50, for this week price will be cut in two, $1.25.

Boy's extra heavy chinchilla Reefers, large sailor collars, cloth lined good, valued at $2.98, for one week will be sold at $1.79.

600 pairs of ladies' kid button and lace Shoes, prices ranging from $2.25 to $3.00. They have silk top facings, smooth leather in soles; every style of toe will be offered this week at the very low price of $1.97.

260 pairs of boy's $1.50 casco lace shoes, solid and serviceable, will be sold this week at $1.18.

If you want to economize on the many thousand things we have to sell, this week is one of your best opportunities. Information with list of prices sent by mail on request.

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There are no glasses which will make the blind see, but people who have their eyes properly fitted with glasses in time will never have any trouble.

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Jones & Walter's FEET FITTERS BLOOMSBURG, PA.

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—FOR—

OCTOBER CASH SALES!

UPON our counters will be thrown, day after day, new arrivals which, in prices will positively be beyond the whisper of competition and comparison--prices that will teach you in the silent logic of truth the difference between dealing with live and with dead men--between the CASH and the credit system--between the RIGHT and the wrong way.

Coal oil,	2c. qt.	Baby's shoes,	10 to 25c
Syrup,	15c. gal.	Children's shoes,	20 to 40c
Best syrup,	25c. gal.	Misses' shoes,	25 to 50c.
5 lbs. good cakes,	25c.	Ladies' shoes,	75c to $1.00
Plug tobacco,	4 to 8c.	Men's shoes,	75c to $1.25
Smoking tobacco,	4 to 7c.	Boy's boots & shoes,	50c to $1.25
Window glass,	3c.	Men's boots,	$1.50 to $2.00
Putty,	3 lbs. for 10c.	Ticking,	9 to 15c
Lamp globes,	3 to 5c.	Outing flannel,	5 to 10c.
Teaspoons,	10c. set.	Table cloth,	20 to 35c.
Tablespoons,	15c. set.	Table oil cloth,	12½ to 15c.
2 foot rule,	5c.	Blankets,	50c to $1.00.
Best gun powder,	25c. lb.	Horse blankets,	90c to $1.00
Shot,	6 to 8c. lb.	Cotton flannel,	5 to 10c.
Gun caps,	5 to 8c.	Toweling,	5 to 10c.
Boy's suspenders,	5 to 10c.	Grain bags,	15 to 20c
Men's suspenders,	10 to 13c.	Plates,	3 to 8c.
Men's socks,	2 to 10c.	Vegetable dishes,	10 to 25c.
Misses' black hose,	5 to 8c.	Sugar bowls,	10 to 35c.
Ladies' vests,	20 to 35c.	Pitchers,	15 to 35c.
School bags,	10 to 15c.	Tureens,	25 to 50c.
Shears,	5 to 15c.	Valises,	30 to 90c.
Rulers,	1c.	Tubs,	40 to 90c.
Tablets,	1 to 5c.	Brooms,	2 for 25c.
Pass books,	1 to 10c.	Stove pipe,	5, 10, 15 to 20c.
Buttons,	1 to 5c.	Boilers,	25 to 75c.
Men's work suits,	75c.	Stone pots,	Cheap.
Ladies' collars,	3 to 10c.	Butter pails,	Cheap.
Ladies gloves,	5 to 25c.	Lanterns,	Cheap.
Children's mittens,	8 to 20c.	Knives and Forks,	40 to 75c set.

All goods will be sold for cash or exchanged for eggs and poultry.

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